POLISH TROOPS FIFTY MILES FROM BERLIN

Taking Soldiers Off Stranded Ship "TEARING"

SOLDIERS BEING LANDED OF U.S. NORTH PACIFIC

Sea Has Calmed and Boats Are Now Making Regular Trips of Rescue

THE MEN ARE CHEERFUL

Soldiers On Grounded Ship Sing and Make Merry Of Their Plight

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire New York, Jan. 2.-Removal of he entire force of 2800 homecoming American soldiers from the transport rthern Pacific, which is stranded Fire Island, by nightrall was exted by Admiral Gleades of Hobowho stated that the transfer of men was proceeding rapidly, in a moderating sea.

BULLETIN

Fire Island, Jan. 2 .- A life boat which was transferring men from the transport was capsized by the heavy sea this afternoon, throwing fifteen soldiers and life savers into the wa ter. All were saved.

BULLETIN.

By Associated Press Leased Wire New York, Jan. 2 .- Announcement that both wounded and well soldiers were being transferred from the stranded transport Northern Pacific to nearby ships and ashore was made at 12:30 o'clock today by Brig. Gen. McManus, commander of the Port of Embarkation at Hoboken. He said:

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PROF. H. C. FEISTER

Former Principal of Dixon High School Will Return from Navy

TO BE HERE MONDAY

The vacant principalship on the south side has been filled by the engagement of H. C. Fiester. Mr Fiester is exceedingly well known in Dixon having filled the same position for two years prior to last September. He was re-elected for the present year but declined in order to enlist in the navy. He has been undergoing intensive training at Great Lakes and on the Municipal Pier at Chicago and has reached an advanced grade in the there is a surplus of men for all positions and the naval authorities are releasing those who have openings in civil life. Superintendent Smith last week went before the discharge board at Chicago, to ask for the re-Fiester is here renewing his acquainre-opening of school January 6th.

FREIGHT TROUBLE DELAYED TRAINS MRS. COOPER IS

Dixonites who were returning from Chicago last evening were over an hour late in reaching home because of a series of mishaps to a freight train west of West Chicago. A drawdraw bar pulled out and the performance had to be repeated. As a result, passenger trains Nos. 27 and 11 were held behind the stalled train and were yery late in reaching Dix-16 1-29 1

Will Frisby assisted Cochran's orchestra at a dance in Sterling Tuesday evening.

Max Blass, recently returned from Municipal Pier, went to Sublette this morning to visit friends.

SIGN HIM UP BEFORE HE GETS OVER HIS HEADACHE



TO RETURN TO DIXON AGED MAN KILLED BY FAST TRAIN THIS A. M.

itor at Sterling Depot, Meets His Death

WAS HIT BY MAIL TRAIN

Carl Morganstine, day janitor at the C. & N. W. passenger station at Sterling, was instantly killed at 6 o'clock this morning when he was struck by eastbound mail train No. 22 at the Avenue B crossing just west of the station. The victim, navy. With the close of the war who was about 60 years of age, was the accident, and it is unknown whether he failed to notice the approaching train or thought he could

lease of Mr. Fiester and it was grant- swiftly moving train, which does not from the Finance Committee of the ed, effective December 30th. Mr. stop at Sterling, one leg amputated State Council of Defense: and numerous cuts and gashes being tance with friends and ready for the inflicted. The remains were taken to the Woods undertaking rooms ty's Finance Committee was organizwhere the inquest will be held to- ed has been accomplished.

Cooper, who passed away Sunday ciate the influence of your paper, the train to Geneva, backing up for pastor of the Baptist church, officiation. the rest of the train. They had no ing. The remains were taken to A large measure of credit of whatmore than started when another DeKalb on the 11 o'clock train for ever success has been attained in the to that city esterday afternoon. burial.

THE WEATHER

THURSDAY, JAN. 2, 1919.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Illinois-Fair and slightly colder tonight; Friday fair and continued Friday evening.

MAY ATTEND THE FIREMEN'S MEET

Fire Chief Thomas Coffey has received invitations to and program of the annual meeting of the State Fireat Garden City, Jan. 15-16, inclusive. It is probable he will attend.

FINANCE COMMITTEE THANKS TELEGRAPH

War Work Drives Is Appreciated

on his way to work at the time of WE'RE GLAD TO DO IT

The Telegraph has received the His body was badly mangled by the of its efforts in War Work Campaigns

> The purpose for which Lee coun-Before taking leave of our duties,

we wish to say a word of appreciation for the good work your paper LAID TO REST has done in the many campaigns of the past eighteen months.

Only those who have been closely

conduct of these campaigns is due to the publicity which you have so generously given in the columns of your

Assuring you of our hearty appre iation of the patriotic service which you have rendered, we remain, Yours very truly yours,

relatives.

EDWARD VAILE, Chairman Lee Co. Finance Com. H. M. Coe and family spent yester-

NO DEVELOPMENTS

AT HARMON INQUEST

Carl Morganstine, Day Jan-men's Association, which will be held Inquisition Into Death of George Billings Evolved Nothing New

"CAUSES UNKNOWN

Absolutely no information not contained in the Telegraph Tuesday evening concerning the death of George This Paper's Assistance In Billings, Northwestern railway employe, whose body was found in a chicken yard at the F. W. Smallwood farm west of Harmon Tuesday morning, was brought out at the inquest held by Coroner Whetston at Harmon Tuesday evening. The jury, composed of F. H. Kugler, Fred Whitmore Frank Hettinger, I. R. Baker, Leonard L. Seago and Fred C. Schafer reget across the tracks ahead of it. following fine letter of appreciation turned a verdict to the effect that the deceased had come to his death by "causes unknown."

> But two witnesses were examined Mr. Smallwood, who told of finding the body, and Dr. Lund of Harmon who gave it as his opinion that the man had died from exposure.

Missing Since Sunday

The remains of the unfortunate man were brought to the Staples' undertaking rooms in this city, where The funeral of Mrs. Herbert L. identified with this work can appre- they were kept while railroad men investigated. It was learned that nesday and Wednesday night. bar pulled out of one of the heavily evening, was held at her late home, and of the press of Lee county, in Billings, who was day baggageman laden cars and the crew found it 900 East Third street, at 9 o'clock arousing the patriotic sentiment of at West Chicago, came out to this necessary to pull the fore part of this morning, Rev. John A. Simpson, the people and molding public opin- section Sunday morning to hunt, and that he had been expected back Sunday night. The remains were sent

CHARGE OFFICERS

persons to death:3

POULTRY SHOW BE VERY BEST

Great Exhibition of Birds Is Promised At Amboy the Second Week of Jan.

MANY FINE PREMIUMS

Merchants of City Have Donated Merchandise For Special Prizes

Assn., which will be held at Amboy, plexy, with which she was stricken dispatch from Berne, which adds completed and there is no doubt the Her body was found shortly after then in Prussian Calicia, and Bromshow will be the finest of its kind her death, by her husband. ever held in Lee county. More prem- Mrs. Teeter and her husband had jums have been offered than last year spent the day with their son, Dale and the number of classes has been Teeter, and family, and in the even-

President-R. P. Lenihan. Vice President-E. H. Barlow. Secretary-William L. Leach.

Treasurer-Edward Conderman. Superintendent-A. J. Barlow. Directors—Frank Holtsapple, Dav- condition.

McGraw and Seth Anderson. Judge-Dr. F. M. Reed of Wyanet.

Comparison System. It has been announced by the officers of the association that the comrison system of judging will be in force this year, and Prof. Reed, engaged for this position, is one of the best in this part of the country. Special rules for the show are:

Entries close Tuesday, Jan. 14, at

Entries shall consist of single birds and pens. An entry fee of 25c for each specimen and 50c for each breeding pen will be charged. Entry fee for pigeons will be 25c

per pair. Turkeys, ducks and geese

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FORMER DIXON NEGRO KILLED IN ACTION

LIVED WITH GEORGE COL-LINS, REPORTED DEAD

George Collins, 1022 Madison ave. has received a telegram from the adjutant general of the U.S. A., announcing that Pvt. William Powell, colored, formerly of this city, had been killed in action some time between Sept. 20 and Oct. 7. The and with Sam Rubenstine, his par- Killed in action, 90; died of wounds. ty. In a letter to the Collins' some Total, 393. time ago he stated he had taken out some government insurance, which tion, 11; died of wounds, 101; died he had made payable to Mrs. Collins. of accident and other causes, 1; died

SIX BELOW ZERO ON NEW YEARS DAY

winter came with New Year's Day of 110 wounded severely, of whom 7 dies' organizations when the mercury registered six de- were from Illinois. Among them was troops and the fighting has largely grees below zero, according to the Private Walter R Carlson of Byron. government thermometer. The cold The Wednesday afternoon report was therefore no estimate of the killed wave followed the damp wet snow of of 107 severely wounded soldiers. Tuesday night and it gradually increased in intensity throughout Wed- PASSENGERS ARE

'URBAN PATRONS OUT IN THE COLD

interurban traffic between Dixon and schedule. MANSLAUGHTER Sterling was decidedly irregular as result. The cold caused the trolley to break at several places on SMALL BLAZE Peoria, Ill., Jan. 1 .- Charges of Lord's Hill and Dixonites who hapmanslaughter were preferred by the pened to be in Sterling had the excoroner's jury last night against treme pleasure of standing around city closed on Sundays and holidays. | damage was slight,

MRS. JOHN TEETER DIED SUDDENLY AT HOME LAST EVENING

Stricken With Apoplexy Aft er Spending Holiday With Her Son

ness of Breath After Walking Home

Mrs. John Teeter, for many years a resident of Dixon, passed away at her home, 118 East First street at Arrangements for the second an- about 8:15 o'clock New Year's evennual show of the Lee County Poultry ing, her death resulting from apo-Jan. 14 to 18, inclusive, have been while alone in the rear of the house.

increased. Officers of the association ing Mr. Teeter went home ahead of BERLIN ADMITS THE her to warm up the house, Mrs. Teeter following at her leisure. After she had climbed the stairs to their home over the Rogers Printing Co. Asst. Secretary-Ralph Stanbaugh. office she complained to Mr. Teeter of her shortness of breath, but neithfor attached any serious import to the

Died Instantly

She went to the rear of the hous and shortly afterwards Mr. Teeter man army division forward to meet was called to the phone. After an- the advancing Poles. swering the phone he called to his vice. She did not answer, and thinking she had gone to the bathroom, he waited about five minutes before calling her again. When she failed to answer the second call, he investigated, and found her dead on the bathroom floor.

Inquest This Morning

Coroner Whetston held an inquest into her death at the Staples undertaking rooms this morning, the verdict being in accordance with the above facts.

Mrs. Teeter, who was born in Illinois, Nov. 28, 1864, had been in poor health for several months, but ner condition was not considered serfous. Funeral arrangements had not been completed today, and they will be announced later.

PVT. WILLIAM POWELL, WHO BYRON SOLDIER IS AMONG THE WOUNDED

CASUALTY REPORT OF WEDNES-DAY LISTED PRIVATE WALTER R. CARLSON

Twenty-eight Illinois men are listyoung soldier lived with the Collins ed in the casualty report released by family about three years ago, during the war department for publication his employment at the cement plant, this afternoon, the report being: ents being dead, but he went to Chi- 5; died of accident and other causes, cago before the draft and was in- 8; died of disease, 14; wounded seducted into service from Cook coun-verely, 206; missing in action, 70.

The morning list was: Killed in acof disease, 115; missing in action, 60; refused to surrender and are surwounded severely, 163; wounded (de- rounded in their barracks. Germans gree undetermined), 6; wounded are being disarmed as they arrive at slightly, 5; Total, 462. Of these 29 railroad stations. were Illinois men.

BEHIND SCHEDULE ference with German officials from

Cold weather and storms in the west have caused all through passenger trains to be several hours late yesterday and today, and railroad Cold weather added to the trou- men are experiencing trouble keepbles of the S. D. & E. yesterday and ing traffic moving anywhere near

LAST NIGHT for his four companions,

An overheated furnace pipe at the Capt. Herman F. Yeihl and Pilot G. on the streets in the cold waiting home of Louis Jetter, 311 Douglas Claire, of Franklin Grove, traded in T. Williams of the Dteamer Columbia, for cars, on which they could get no Ave., at 7 o'clock last evening, caus- town Tuesday. which sank in the line is river near information, since the company keeps ed a small fire, to extinguish which cold with slowly rising temperature day with Franklin Grove friends and here on July 5, is ring eighty-eight its offices and waiting room in that the fire department was called. The Mrs. Otto Spielman is ill of influ-

Objective of Poles' Advance Is Made Known

INQUEST THIS MORNING HUN DIVISION MOVING

She Complained of Short- German Forces Ordered Out To Meet the Invaders

BULLETIN

By Associated Press Leased Wire London, Jan. 2 .- Polish troops have occupied Frankfort on the Oder, 50 miles east of Berlin, says a that the Poles have acquired Beuberg, in the province of Posen, 69 miles northeast of the Posen City.

SITUATION IS GRAVE

By Associated Press Leased Wire Copenhagen, Jan. 2.- A Polish army of 30,000 men is marching on Berlin, according to dispatches received here quoting rumors at the

German capital. Gustav Knoske, member of the Ebert cabinet, in charge of military affairs, has ordered the Fifth Ger-

Situation Grave greater gravity, according to advices received from Berlin. The Polish troops have occupied the larger parts of the province of Posen and Polish forces are now at Skalmieryche, a town southeast of Posen, and 62

miles northeast of Breslau. German forces there, it is stated, must retire in face of the superior

force of Poles. It is stated that the Polish government at Warsaw had ordered the mobilization of all the Polish forces.

POLES' ARMY IS WELL SUPPORTED

By Associated Press Leased Wire Berne, Jan. 2.-The Polish army

which is advancing toward Berlin, has as its objective "a tearing raid into Germany," according to the Polish agency at Lausanne. The infantry is well armed and well supported by artillery and cavalry. The army has already occupied im-

portant railroad centers in Posnau, and has captured a large amount of railroad stock with little resistance. The Germans are re-arming their demobilized soldiers, and fighting is

expected soon, although several units of the army have refused to again take up arms.

POLES OCCUPY POSEN FORTRESS

By Associated Press Leased Wire Warsaw, Jan. 2.-Fighting has continued in Posen for the past several days between German and Polish forces. The fortress of the city has been occupied by the Poles while

The Sixth German Grenadiers have

20,000 Germans have been disarmed.

The entire Polish population, in-The coldest temperature of the A report New Year's morning was cluding Boy Scouls and young laassumed a house to house character, is obtainable.

Ignace Paderews ... who arrived in Posen recently, is delaying his departure for Warsaw to hold a con-

YANK REACHED BERLIN PINCHED

By Associated Press Leased Wire Berlin, Jan. 2 .- One American soldier, the first to reach Berlin, absent without leave, has been arrested by the police who are searching

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lehman and son,

enza at her home on First street.

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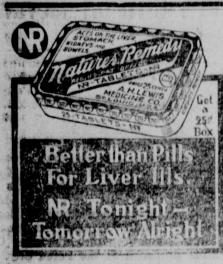
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"SOMEWHERE IN WASHINGTON"

John H. Byers, Secretary to Congressman John C. McKenzie, and Himself a Member of the Evening Telegraph's Staff, Writes of Activities With Nation's Law-Makers

ergreen trees, both in homes and character. And all this is done for public places. In the rotunda of the the entertainment of the soldier boys soldiers who were in France. Hun- ially those who have recently returndreds of mothers and their little folk ed from the battlefields. retary of war, was the Santa Claus. for the unfortunate ones at Walter Admission was by ticket only. Thous- Reed hospital. There are several ands stood outside on 'he steps of the thousand wounded soldiers. I visited dren were so happy. Senators and morning thousands of gifts were dismembers of congress were there and tributed from a large tree, and some-

mas night hundreds of young men It was unfortunate, indeed, that and women danced and sang around these wounded soldiers were unable the tree. The air was cool, but the to spend Christmas with their friends crowd, in spite of this, numbered and loved ones. many thousands. Last night (Saturday) the soldiers and their sweet- ment is surely great, but I would hearts enjoyed dancing about the give a good deal if I could see my



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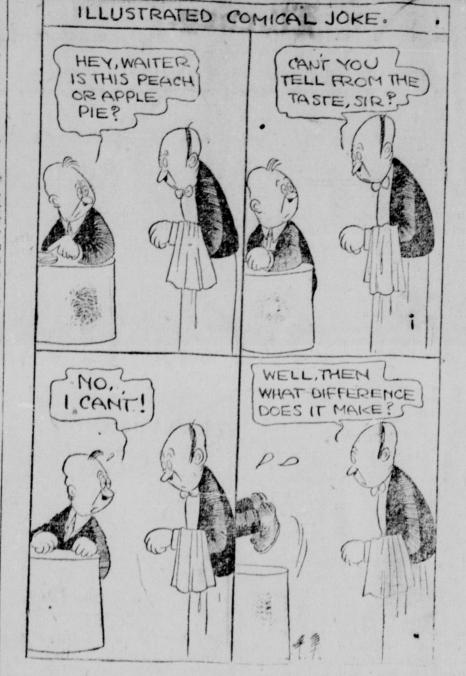
Washington celebrated Christmas program lasted until ten o'clock. n the same old way. Wreaths of Next Tuesday night there will be an-

And I must tell you what was done many of the soldiers. On Christmas ly decorated. The tree was erected in Outside on the plaza of the capitol the Red Cross building. The gifts

One said to me, "This entertaintree. The music was furnished by mother today." His mother lives in

> sad that you were so unfortunate." I was left-handed." ry about me, I was lucky. My comis what I call bravery. He added, "I

Dixon, III.



and one eye was gone. I said to the right arm." He replied, "It nim, "I pity you, and it is certainly makes a lot of difference to me, pard.

In passing through the hospital I noticed a young looking chap walk- hills and just below is Hannonville ing with two canes. I said to him, hill you can see plainly on a clear panion, an officer, who stood close by "You are very young to be here." me was blown all to pieces." That "Yes," he replied, "I am just eighteen years old." He told me that he was right leg was badly shaltered. He I met another young man with his told me he was a native of Norfolk, left arm off between the wrist and Va., and that he had served fourteen Towland Bros. Corner Drug Store the elbow. I said to him, "You are months in France and on the battle

army and when my father heard of it he said, Well, let him go this time got after him. The French could not for it's no use; he will join some- move him out; they lost 30,000 men thing." He had been back here in less than half an hour, so you can were now quite proud of him. I could go on telling many stories I

heard and describe many things I saw, but it will have to go over for when Jerry started shelling the road Reed hospital is one of the places here that many people visit and all go there to do something for our wound- ing. They sure do come, too, and

tory about this wonderful hospital. five weeks and we were in a wood in

evenue. Dixon, is a constant visitor to and their country's flag. You will remember that the day the amistice was signed, this little "war worker" After she pays all her expenses in money for mother and the little family of children at home. Miss Spealman is very modest, and has little, if anything, to say regarding the splendid work she is doing.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS

The following letter is from Prirate Lewis Rock, with the A. E. F. in France, to his father, Michael Rock: Nov. 28, 1918.

As this is a day off for us and being "turkey day" without the "turks" I am writing a few lines to let you know that things are looking better every day and I hope they continue to look beter as this waiting is tiresome, especially way in where we are. All we can see if the old battle fields and plenty of different sized shell soon as the peace is holes, and just below is a small town we are home by spraig. Some think by the name of Hannonville. I wish we will be home before spring; I hope you could see the town. You would they are right as I would rather be see all the buildings full of shell holes on the other side of the Atlantic than and a wreck; even the churches are to be on this this side this time of battered and full of shell holes. It the year. I will quit for now and s surely a shame the way Jerry will write again soon. With love to helled these towns and cities but he all. surely did leave us some good places to live in. You know he had a long | Co. E. 131st In

legs and both arms were shot off lucky that it is the left rather than time to build himself nice barracks and dugouts and when the Yanks

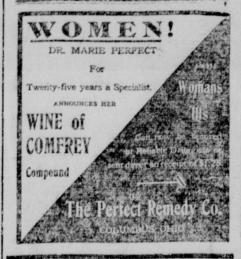
> ot me out again. Then I joined the mans held four years and nobody could drive him out until the Yanks some other time. However, Walter on both sides with shrapnel and all flat every time we heard a shell comwe sure went some, too.

and waiting for us and about one time you count fifty, the soreness and be removed until settled for. could help them in her simple way it town. He had the town all shot up made her so happy. Miss Spealman and some of the road in the town mined, which made it all the harder out of your back and ends the misery. for us in the hop over but we made It is magical, yet absolutely harmless him beat it and we kept going all that and doesn't burn the skin. night and in the morning of the ninth Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica Harry Warner, Clerk. He had the valley all full of gas of all kinds but we kept driving him back anyway until we got out of the Verdun sector and then we were under shell and machine gun fire all the Washington she finds she has some time. The Jerries were sure good with the shrapnel. They could put them right in your pocket, but he always missed mine, thank the Lord. He never had any bullets or shells with my name on them but a few were close enough for me. We had a lot of hiking from the Verdun front to Alsace-Lorraine. We hiked for ten straight hours in the rain at night with our packs and talk about a muddy, tired bunch. We sure were, and footsore. said they wouldn't quit for the French and English but they would for the Yanks; they knew they would have to guit in time. A German capother nation in the world could cut their wires but the crazy Yanks and they could go throughonything. He said the Yank's artillery was crazy and the infantry mad.

OBITUARY

MABEL E. MILLER.

Mabel E. Miller, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Miller, formerof Harvard, now residing at Racine, pital, Chicago, Sunday morning, Dec 29, following an operation for tumor 1906, at Rockford, Ill. She had been a patient sufferer for about one year ert. She was a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Brown of 1210 W. seventh street, Dixon. The body was prought to Dixon for burial.



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When you darken your hair with Preparing this mixture, any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients called "Wyeth's Sag and Sulphur Compound." You jus taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark-

ned, glossy and luxuriant. Gray, faded hair, though no dis-grace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitiga-

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When your back is sore and lame or lameness is gon

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Closing Out Sale

The undersigned will hold a closing out sale at his resipence 3½ miles southeast of Dixon, on the County Farm Road, 1 mile south of White Temple school house, known as the Eq Knight farm on

Tuesday, January 7th, 1919 at 10 o'clock sharp—the following described propert, EIGHT HEAD OF HORSES

1 bay mare coming 10 years old; one bay mare 9 years old; one black mare 6 years; one gray family driver coming 10 years old; one brown mare coming 3 years old; one sorrel mare coming 17 years old; one brown mare 6 years; one spring colt.

43 HEAD HIGH GRADE HOLSTEIN CATTLE Get a small package of Hamburg
Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a
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FARM MACHINERY

old and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion.

Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a 6 foot cut; 1 Hayes corn planter with 90 rods of wire; two 3section drags, 1 Sterling disc; 1 National manure spreader; 1 a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe gang plow; 2 16-inch walking plows; 1 14-inch walking plow and harmless. I walking corn plow; 1 riding corn plow; 3 wagons; I truck wagon; I with hayrack; 1 with triple box; 1 bob sled; 1 spring wagon; 1 new top buggy; 1 hand corn sheller; 3 sets working harness; corn planter for drilling corn; some galvanized chicked coops; 1 extension ladder; 1 "Successful" incubator, capacity 175 eggs; 1 "Old Trusty" incubator, 100 eggs; 1 brooder; 6 milk cans; 1 Neville hay rack; 1 hay rake and other articles too nmerous to mention.

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"I think he will be back soon, Ra-

"Yes, Rachel. The colored troops

have been wonderful. We are proud

"Glory be, they ain't 'mounted to

"I must congratulate you again,"

common occurrence. Mr. Hackett

woman, who belonged to a man who

lost all hope of ever being more to

The members of the Boy Scout

COMING EVENTS

Thursday.

M. E. Foreign Missionary, Mrs. A. N. Richardson, 1123 Third street. C. W. B. M. meeting, Mrs. C. W. Johnson.

Friday.

Thursday Reading Circle, Mrs. Charles Floto. Practical club, Mrs. Worsley.

C. C. Circle meeting, Mrs. William Slothower, 1422 Third street. Woman's Auxiliary of St. Luke's church, Guild rooms of church. Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S., Masonic

Saturday.

D. A. R. meeting, Miss Woodbridge and Mrs. Hitchcock, 407 E. Third st. Monday. Chapter A C, Illinois P. E. O., Mrs.

F. L. Hamilton, 124 E. Boyd street. HAS GOOD PHONOGRAPH-

The friends of Mrs. Preston Wolcott are enjoying greatly in their visits at her home, the music of a fine phonograph, one of the latest makes, with an electric motor attachment.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY—

The Misses Leva Missman and Florence Williams entertained with a delightful New Year's Eve party, the guests watching the New Year in. A dinner was served at the home of Miss Missman and the remainder of the evening was spent at the home of Miss Williams. The guests included the Misses Loraine Missman, Ione Scott, Violet Floto and Miss Helen Brown.

GUESTS FROM STERLING-

at dinner New Year's day at the home ning was spent in games and music. Mrs. Thomas Cheatle.

HOME FROM NAVY-

from New York, for a visit with his running jump was a competition in parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McCoy, widest grins. An excellent supper

COMMUNITY SINGING-

The vim and enthusiasm with which New Year's day audiences at the Famity singing, led by Mrs. L. E. Edwards, was marked. Some of the most familiar war songs were sung GAVE DINNER PARTY "The Star Spangled Banner," expression to patriotism.

GUESTS FROM ASHTON-

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Quick and Miss Ada Brink entertained very Quick of this city.

GAVE DINNER-

Mr. and Mrs. John Donavan entertained with a six o'clock dinner Coy, R. N., of Chicago, who has been spending the holiday week with her vacation with her parents. parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCoy.

NEW YEAR'S IN DEKALB-Mrs. Margaret Sheehan and granddaughter, Helen Cahill, spent New Year's in DeKalb as the guests at the home of Mrs. Sheehan's sister, Mrs.

James Rourke.

RETURNED TO OBERLINon Tuesday afternoon to Oberlin, O., Mrs. H. U. Bardwell. where she is a student at the musical conservatory of Oberlin college.

RETURNED TO OREGON-

Miss Gertrude Witzleb entertained | Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swim enterguests were twelve young people. and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Caughey. The departure of the old year and the coming of the New Year were watched, as the young people were RETURNS TO DEKALBengaged in merriment.

IN LUXEMBURG—

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Woodworth D. A. R. MEETINGeccived two letters on Tuesday from



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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnson returned Saturday from Chicago, where they spent Christmas with their son, Atty. Elwin Johnson.

TO ROCHELLE-

Mrs. A. W. Chandler joined her husband, Dr. Chandler, in Rochelle Tuesday, closing her North Dixon res-

C. C. CIRCLE TO MEET-

tain the members of C. C. Circle on fluence, she forgot Mollie King- and had not been wounded. Her plan Friday afternoon. At this meeting almost. officers will be elected for the new bers will attend.

HAD DINNER GUESTS-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slothower entertained at New Year's dinner Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Slothower and family, Beth Horton.

DOROTHY CAPTER, O. E. S .-

Chapter, O. E. S., will be held Friday evening at Masonic hall.

ENTERTAINED YESTERDAY-

Mrs. George Carbaugh entertained and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Smith and backs, the war must end. daughter, Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. Gagstetter and daughter, Irene.

ENTERTAINED CLASSES-

The members of the Sunday school classes of the Grace Evangelical church, taught by the Misses Lina Miller and Vivian Graves, and a few of their friends were entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Grundy and New Year's eve at the home of Miss family of Sterling were entertained Miller. An unusually enjoyable eveof Mrs. Grundy's parents, Mr. and One of the games of the evening which produced a great deal of amusement was a track meet, the events of which were immeasureably Dennis McCoy, of the navy, is home such a meet. For instance, the broad different from the usual events of was served after these athletic feats, with everyone in good appetite from the exercise. Ralph Hoffman, of Fargo, N. D., who has been visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sherman of ica"-and it was apparent that all honor of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shaw, of who sang enjoyed the opportunity. Rockford. Twenty guests were presthis morning.

ENTERTAINED KNITTING CLUB—

the Misses Quick of Ashton spent pleasantly with a Watch Night party giving had been to her own pet char-office later on, "It is becoming quite a New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tuesday evening the members of ity-her war babies. 'The Knitting Club."

---0--AT VACATION'S END-

to DeKalb where she is taking the Monday evening for Miss Mary Mc- Normal course in the college, on ing to start with. His salary as a mans being such wonderful soldiers,

TO MILWAUKEE DOWNER-

day visit at home, returned Monday wanted. She had written much of thinking of the Germans, but of to Milwaukee Downer college.

AFTER HOLIDAY VACATION-

Miss Mabel Masten returned to the University of Chicago today after spending the holiday vacation in Dix- in months-how much money she if he were lacking in some other Miss Elizabeth Raymond returned ten and aunts, Mrs. E. E. Shaw and had a plan in her head which was For the first time Arthur Mandel

AT NEW YEAR'S DINNER-

MISS WITZLEB ENTERTAINED— ENTERTAINED GUESTS—

dancing party Tuesday night. The Mrs. E. C. Lumsden and son, Newell, she thought more and more of the easy for Arthur Mandel to give up

Miss Charlotte Campbell returned to DeKalb, where she is a student at the Normal, today.

The January meeting of the local piness. heir son, Burton, who is with the chapter of the Daughters of the American occupational army now in American Revolution will be held the province of Luxemburg. He Saturday, January 4th, at 2:30 p. m. stated that he was in excellent health. at the residence of Miss Woodbridge the paper of the afternoon, subject, "Illinois as a Territory."

ST. PAUL'S CHOIR-

the eyeballs show at the church Friday evening.

RECT lenses. The ST. LUKE'S AUXILIARY-

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Luke's Episcopal church will be held in the Dr. W. F. Aydelotte guild rooms on Friday afternoon, brave, and I am not surprised; but ineas to present. Jan. 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock. A social to think of taking so many prisoners hour and afternoon tea will follow all by himself. It is a wonder they CHAPTER A. C., ILL. P. E. O. the devotional and business program. didn't kill him." Ruth was so excit- Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O., will 56, R. A. M., will be held at 6:30 A silver offering will be taken for ed, her words fairly tumbled over meet on Monday at 2:30 p. m. at the this evening at Masonic hall. Remissionary work.

THE WIFE

By JANE PHELPS

RUTH PLANS FOR BRIAN'S HOME- to do," her aunt said after she had prettily decorated. read the short account of Lieutenant

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Brian was back with his regiment. Service Cross as well. Our own George Masten and daughter, Miss Ruth had not again given away to acts as any other.' her despondency. And now that he Ruth was radiant all the evening Mrs. William Slothower will enter- was once more removed from her in- Brian had distinguished himself,

She kept up her work among the tion because people would surely give cial dissipation because of her aunt, life, and the care she gave little Brian, She wrote him a long letter telling kept her every moment filled.

Then came talk of the war ending that he had not been wounded while sooner than had been expected. The doing so marvelous a thing. Then Mr. and Mrs. Elmer West and Miss Germans were being pushed back day she went to bed to dream of war after day. While losses on both crosses, of nests filled with Ger-A regular meeting of Dorothy to those of the enemy. The Hun was a soldier, and who also wore a All remained to watch the New Year morale, too, was breaking—the most cross. ly Ruth followed the line that each ing," Rth declared at breakfast. " day advanced farther and farther in- was too much excited, I guess." The to the country occupied by the foe, she explained to Rachel, who had at dinner yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Ed- Like others, she figured that if the asked what excited her so she couldward Shawger and family of Palmyra, allies kept going with no real set- n't sleep, that Brian, her husband, patron in the absence of Mr. and had been decorated for great brav-

aunt one day.

ly over. It will be a long time be- conversation. "There may be some fore all the soldiers will come back. thing in him, after all," she though Brian may be one of those to remain as she, too, became a little enthusion duty over there, even if the war astic because of Ruth's excitement ends. Don't think too much of see- and prideful words. ing him soon, dear. It would make your disappointment the greater. Rachel had said, after listening, op-Then there is still the chance-"

"That he never may come back," what had happened "over there." Ruth interrupted, "I know. Yet "Ain't he done 'nough fightin' when someway I feel, Aunt Louisa, that he they gives him all them crosses you will not be wounded again. I feel so tell 'bout?" sure he will come back to baby and chel. The war will not last much

"That is the right way to feel-it longer." keeps you from worrying."

To ask her if she was planning to re- of them niggar reg'm'nts had been with his parents in LaMoille, and has main with her after Brian returned. fightin' somthin' fine. Is that so, Miss ily theater took part in the commun- also been the guest of Dixon friends, But she hesitated to do so, fearing Ruth?" her answer would be that she would go home when he came back.

In spite of her love for ease and for of them." pretty things, Ruth had saved a surapartment, but she often said laugh- on." ingly that it was all she did pay; The singing will be continued through ent but Mr. Shaw found it impossible that her aunt ran the house. Then, Rachel. They have proved themthe winter one night of each week. to leave Camp Grant, where he is too, Mrs. Clayborne was constantly selves men." Ruth was so happy herable that Dixon should be lacking in ed and music was enjoyed following them both. So aside from her char- her happy, also. this regard in an opportunity to give it. Mrs. Shaw returned to Rockford itable work and the rent, Ruth had When she reached the shop her saved almost all her salary. She face was still lighted up with pride, had bought each issue of Liberty her eyes shone with her happiness bonds; and had given to the Red Cross. But the greater part of her Mandel said when she came into his

> After this talk with ner aunt, she evidently doesn't let us forget him." sat down and figured how much she had saved in various ways; and how had saved in various ways; and how much she ful? To think he did such a thing Miss Margaret McTague returned much she could add to it in the next unaided! I don't see how he did it. few months. Brian would have noth- In spite of all the talk of the Ger-Tuesday after spending the Christmas soldier, even as a commissioned offi- they must have a streak of cowardcer, would scarcely be more than he ice to let one man take nine of them needed; surely no more than he prisoners." would spend, knowing she and the "The yellow in them is bound to Miss Ruth Rosenthal, after a holi- baby were having everything they come out," Mandel returned, not her aunt's generosity, and had told Brian Hackett and of Ruth. Who Brian many times to spend his sol- and what was he to think that a dier's pay for comforts.

> She was surprised to see that, by had shown himself so brave, so much the time he returned—even if figured of a soldier, would give him up even on with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Mas- would have at her disposal. She qualifications? to be a surprise for Brian.

She would fit up an office for him Ruth Hackett than he then was. He in a good location. To his slender looked at her radiant face, her shin-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hintz had as law library, she would add books that ing eyes, and his heart sank. Never their guests at a New Year's dinner, he needed. He could start anew, could a man cause a woman to look Mrs. Lina Atwood has returned to Mrs. O. B. Anderson, Joseph Palmer, feeling that they had money enough like that unless she loved him. IN WOOSUNGher home in Oregon after spending Miss Estella Osborne, Miss Estella ahead so that his mind could be Pride alone would not do it. And Christmas at the home of her daugh- Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Roy given to his work, without the worry she must love him devotedly. Slight he had experienced before about love never gave that expression to a money. She had said nothing of this woman's face, nor brought that light plan to anyone, not even to her to her eyes. aunt. But as the papers reiterated It is not easy to give up one's with a most enjoyable supper and tained at dinner yesterday Rev. and their belief that peace was at hand, cherished dreams. And it was not

pleasure it would give Brian. the idea he had hugged so closely of "He'll have baby to work for, some day making Ruth Hackett-the now," she said to herself with a only woman he ever had loved-his smile. That, had he been allowed to wife. But in that few moments that work for her, he would have been was what he did. And the renuncia happier, never occurred to her; ation left him so pale and so suddenneither did she thing it might have ly old, that Ruth, alarmed, asked if prevented much of her own unhap- he were ill.

Then one day came other news. (Tomorrow - Arthur Mandel Re News which she hurried home to impart to Mrs. Clayborne. She had heard the newsboys crying: "Wuxand Mrs. Hitchcock, 407 E. Third tra," had bought one, opened it, and TO NORTHWESTERN U .street. Miss Osborne will furnish glanced at the first page, which con- Miss Orleana Newcomer returned tained an account of a big battle, as to Evanston yesterday and will reshe walked along.

"Aunt Louisa! where are you! read University. this!" she thrust the paper into her Pain in the eyes and St. Paul's choir will meet for re- aunt's hand and then leaned over GRACE K. L. C. E. MEETINGback of and around hearsal after the preparatory service her shoulder and read with her the A meeting of the Keystone League, news which had so excited her.

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de Guerre, Aunt Louisa. He is t2 each other.

nounces Ruth)

sume her studies in Northwestern Mrs. F. F. Leonard.

C. E., of the Grace Evangelical church, will be held tomorrow evening, at 7:45 at the church. The "Just think, Brian has the Croix president requests the presence of all Sunday. members as there will be special bus-

TO LOS ANGELES-

Mrs. W. C. Dysart has gone to Los Angeles, Cal., to spend the winter

MANY AT ELKS-

The New Year's dancing party given at the Elks club last night was at- training school. tended by over 200 couples and was one of the most successful affairs of Hubbard, Miss Lulu Baughman, Miss Hackett's act, and his reward. "He TO CHICAGO-

'Good as new," he had written country is as quick to recognize such Mabel, and Mrs. George Shaw and ed on a white pedestal which concealdaughter went to Chicago today. WAS GUEST OF HONOR-

for him also took on an added attrac-

ing at her home in DeKalb. him how proud she was; how happy EASTERN STAR INSTALLATION-

The public installation of the new officers of Dorothy Chapter, O. E. S. sides were great, yet those on that mans whom Brian dragged in pris- hall, with an unusually large crowd young ladies present. Miss Schmucker of the allies were small as compared oners, and of little Brian, who, too, of people witnessing the ceremonial making the presentation. in and the Old Year out, enjoying dangerous thing in an army. Eager- "I couldn't sleep without dream- after the installation, a very pleasing AT JAMES McCOV HOMEmusical program and the dancing which followed.

acting as worthy matron and worthy and Mrs. James McCoy. Mrs. L. F. Cooling, worthy matron IN CHICAGO-"Brian will soon be back if what ery. If she expatiated upon the news and worthy patron, the installation the papers say about the war being to the old colored woman, it was not proceeded smoothly. Miss Alma been spending several days in Chi-telephone 66. soon over, is true," she said to her surprising. Her aunt smiled more Moeller, past worthy matron, acted cago with Mr. Rasch's parents. as installing officer. Mrs. Jessie "Yes-I think the fighting is near- when Brian had been the subject of Brown, past worthy matron, served AT DINNER TONIGHTas installing marshal; Mrs. Fannie. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Raymond will wages. Apply to Mrs. C. H. Fall-Doty, of Amboy, as installing chap- entertain at dinner this evening Rov. strom, 102 Ottawa ave., phone X-623. lain, and Mrs. Harriet Edwards as and Mrs. J. M. Tidball and family, installing organist. The escorts were Mrs. Margaret Hintz, past worthy matron; Mrs. Mae Keller, past worthy matron, and Mrs. Helen Brown, en mouthed, to Ruth's description of past worthy matron of the Amboy

The officers installed were: Mrs. Cora Leake, worthy matron; James Knox, worthy patron; Mrs. Carrie Coe, associate matron; Miss Estella Anderson, secretary; William Frye. treasurer; Miss Ethel Leake, con-"Miss Clark's girl-that silly black ductress; Mrs. Pearl Rickard, asso-Ruth longed to question her aunt. niggar gal o' hearn-said that one clate conductress; Mrs. Mary Seyfarth, chaplain; Mrs. Clara Frye, marshal; Miss Erma Brown, organist; Mrs. Florence Franks, Adah; Mrs. Edna Quick, Ruth; Mrs. Ruth Smice, Esther; Mrs. Olive Clingman, Martha, as a substitute for Mrs. Frank Forman, who was unable to! "There's a Long, Long Trail," "Keep 122 North Peoria Ave., entertained prising amount while Brian had been much befo', some of 'em. I'se glad attend; Miss Ida Ware, Electa; Mrs. the Home Fires Burning" and "Amer- on New Year's day with a dinner in away. She still paid the rent of the if they has done sumthin to be proud Floy Anderson, as warder; and Harry Quick, sentinel.

"You need feel that way no longer, After the installation the worthy matron, Mrs. Leake, invited the installation officers and their escorts to Other cities are continuing the sing- stationed, to attend the dinner. An buying clothes for both Ruth and the self, that she wanted to say or do come to the east where they were ing, and it was not thought advis- excellent four-course dinner was serv- baby. She delighted in dressing something to make everyone around presented, in appreciation of their work, with beautiful bud vases. Mrs. Ella Leake, of Amboy, presented the worthy matron, Mrs. Cora Leake, in behalf of the Amboy chapter, of which the latter was originally a member, a centennial souvenir spoon inscribed with the name of the Amboy chapter, Arbutus Chapter, No. 553.

The program following the installation was a delightful innovation in Dorothy Chapter fostallations. It consisted of a beautiful plano selection by Clinton Fahrney; two readings, given by Mrs. Adolph Eichler in her pleasing manner, and three charming vocal selections by MrsaL. E. Edwards. Enjoyable refreshments and dancing followed the pro-

HONORED ANNIVERSARY-

Mr. and Mrs. James Feldkirchner entertained yesterday with a New Year's dinner, which also honored the thirty-fourth wedding anniversary of two of the guests, Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Sweitzer. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Wadsworth and son, Lester, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lievan and daughter, Miss Josephine and Miss Pearl Feldkirchner.

Miss Agnes Prindaville spent New Year's day with her sister, Mrs. John Nagle, of Woosung.

PRESBYTERIAN CHOIR-There will be no rehearsal of the Presbyterian choir this week.

RETURNED TO EVANSTON-

Kenneth F. Burgess, of Evanston, joined his family here in a New Year's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Todd. Mrs. Burgess returned with him to Evanston last evening, but will return to Dixon to resume her visit on Saturday.

AT DANIEL MURPHY HOME-Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Murphy, of Hennepin Avenue, entertained at dinner yesterday Miss Hannah Prindaville, T. E. Prindaville and Mr. and

METHODIST CHORS-

The members of the Junior choir of the Methodist church will meet for rehearsal Friday at 4:15 p. m., at the church. The choir is to take part in a special New Year's service on

The Senior choir members will meet at 7:30 Friday evening.

NACHUSA CHAPTER, R. A. M.

A meeting of Nachusa Chapter, No. home of Mys. F. L. Hamilton, 124 E. freshments will be served at the close "It was a wonderfully brave thing Boyd street, which was a wonderfully brave thing belong the wonderfully brave thing belong the wonderfully brave thing belong the wonderfully brave the wonderfull

FOR MISS HUBBARD-

Miss Mary Smucker entertained, with a Watch Night party Tuesday Proop, No. 6, of the Presbyterian evening for Miss Vernie Hubbard, church, enjoyed a "good feed" at the who leaves within the next two weeks church Tuesday night. Jack Forest, for Chicago, where she has been ac-

the club's social season. During the Anna Hannen, Miss Bessie Eberle, OPERATORS REMEMBERED evening refreshments were served in Miss Eva Shepherd, Mrs. Maurice the lodge banquet hall, which was Hurd, Miss Audrey Graves, and Miss Mary Joseph. The table, from which most tempting refreshments were served, presented as its attractive centerpiece the little baby New Year, Mrs. Shoecraft of Erie, Ill., Mrs. a Kewpie with blue ribbon sash seatiginal New Year's forecasts written by the hostess, which when combined Miss Klara Fischer, a student at after the supper, formed a peem. DeKalb Normal, and her guest, Miss prize was given the one who combin Vivian Wendell, also a student there, ed these correctly and this, a cupid year and it is hoped that all the mem- children of the soldiers, and that, a man with such a war record the returned to DeKalb Tuesday. Miss was secured by Miss Bessie Eberle with her work in the shop, a little so- preference when he returned to civil Wendell entertained for Miss Fischer Ribbons were stretched from the with a Watch Night party that even- Kewpie to small candlesticks at each

Toasting marshmallows, and cards and dancing formed the other amuse

ments of a most enjoyable evening. Miss Hubbard was presented with was held last evening in Masonic a handsome box of stationery by the

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCoy and family were entertained for New Watch was received from France With Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eichler Year's day dinner at the home of Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rasch have

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as spokesman, presented Rev. Mr. cepted as a probationer in the nurses' Tidball, scoutmaster, with a Waterman pen. After the dinner the party The guests were: Miss Vernie attended the Family theater.

BOY SCOUTS' DINNER-

The operators of the Dixon Telephone Co. were again yesterday the happy recipients of several boxes of candy and other tokens from the patrons for excellence of service renderd. Eugene Harrington and H. G. Reynolds of the Reynolds Wire company sent candy, the latter sending seven pounds with a letter of appreciation. C. H. Fallstrom of the Dixon Floral Company sent several dozen beautiful carnations with wishes for Happy New Year.

Mrs. R. L. Baird was a visitor in Sterling yesterday.

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months, \$2.75; three months, garet Allen and Irene Hatch and \$1.75; one month, 60c.

MEMBER OF ASSOCIATED PRESS READING CIRCLE BANQUET-The Associated Press is exclusively A banquet and Watch Night party lished herein.

ABE MARTIN



'Bout th' only difference between a evieve Fusche, of Wichita, Kan. The dollar a year man an' a school teach- other guests were Misses Gladys Emer is th' school teacher can't afford mert, Miss Marvel Gaffney, Miss Best' resign. Next t' havin' a robber in sie Fane, Miss Susie Huggins, Miss your car pokin' a pistol in your ear Charlotte Johnson, Miss Dorothy th' worst thing is tryin' t' drive with Gonnerman, Miss Gladys Jones, Miss your wife settin' in th' back seat.

her that gits shaved for a 5-cent the- ations making an attractive table. A arer. Mrs. Gabe Craw has two Christmas tree with snowballs formdaughters one married an' one still ed the centerpiece, while tiny Christ- office of the county superintendent of

CITY IN BRIEF

Carriers Earl Senneff and Harold Curran have exchanged mail routes. Mr. Senneff being given the one formerly carried by the late R. R. Hess.

F. H. Cramer of Route 5, was in Dixon Tuesday.

S. A. Bennett was a Tuesday visitor from the Bend

Mrs. E. C. Smith of Rossville is recovering from influenza after being ill for some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burhenn, whom she came to visit.

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ily, who have been living on the Al- with influenza. bert Juelfs farm east of town, are moving to Dixon. They will occupy the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keyes, Jr., on Seventh street.

Theo. Fuller left this morning for a busines strip throug hthe southern part of the state.

Sheriff F. A. Schoenholz has returned from a business trip to the berg, of Chicago, formerly Mis

taining number of small articles, the Hahnemann hospital, Chicago, on keys, change, stamps, etc., and own- Dec. 15. er's name. Return to Miss Dora Smith or this office.

and Representatives J. P. Devine and today announced he would be a canmittee of the Dixon Chamber of part of the state Commerce, relative to needs of the Colony. The committee was named by the C. C. some time ago.

Mrs. M. D. Hubbard and daughter,

RETURNED TO LONG ISLAND-Clarence L. Kelly has returned to

OFFICIAL PAPER CITY OF DIXON Babylon, L. I., after a ten days' furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. MEMBER OF AUDIT BUREAU OF P. C. Kelly. He was accompanied as far as Chicago by his sister, Miss Mary Kelly, and Miss Mazie Phalen.

ner Mr. and Mrs. James Allen, Mr. By mail, outside Lee and adjoining and Mrs. J. A. Shaw and son, Paul, Michael Allen.

entitled to the use for republica- was enjoyed by the members of the tion of all news credited to it or Thursday Reading Circle and their not otherwise credited in this pa- families at the home of Mr. and Mrs. per, and also the local news pub- William Starks on Tuesday evening. Among the fifty guests were three soldier boys home on furloughs, El-All right of republication of special wood Hintz, Elwin Bunnell and Hardispatches herein are also redinner they told of their experiences in the training camps in which they were stationed. These proved most interesting. Other numbers in the most enjoyable program were a piano solo by Miss Helen Corbin, a saxophone selection by Miss Lucille Starks with Miss Frances Ackert as accompanist, a piano number by Miss Frances Ackert, and a number of songs, including patriotic numbers by Mrs. Lee Read. Holly and other de corations befitting the holiday season about the house added to the festiveness of the occasion.

NEW YEAR'S IN WALNUT-

Mr. and Mrs. John Borncamp and two children of Chicago, with Mrs. Borncamp's mother, Mrs. Martha Shippert, whose guests they have been, have just returned from an over New Year's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Welsh, of Wal-

PARTY FOR GUEST-

Miss Alta Fleming entertained Puesday night with a Watch Night party, honoring her guest, Miss Gen-Viola Flemming, Mrs. Hugh Senneff and Mrs. Ralph Lievan. A supper Our idee o' a spendthrift is a fel- was served with pretty holiday decormas trees were the favors at each place. Music and chat made the evening merry after the supper.

GUEST FROM WICHITA-

Miss Alta Flemming is entertaining Miss Genevieve Fusche, of Wichita Kan., who is also a student at the Art Institute, Chicago. Miss Flemming and Miss Fusche will return to Chicago Sunday.

TO STEWARD-Mrs. W. M. Elliott, 624 W. First street, returned with her father, Coroner Whetston, to Steward today to make him a visit.

WITH AUNT-

Miss Dora McCabe of Chicago, came Saturday to spend the week with her aunt, Mrs. Alex Turner. She will return to Chicago Sunday.

U. S. W. V. SUPPER-

Until long after the New Year appeared on the threshhold the members of the United Spanish War Vet erans and its Auxiliary were enjoy ing themselves in G. A. R. hall in most pleasant fashion. In the early dren of the members furnished one of those delightful mixed programs instrumental and vocal music and readings, to which an inimitable re lish is added by the fact that the participants are children. Cards were 15c lb. Pure fruit preserves, large the diversion of the remainder of the

RETURNED TO WALNUT-

Miss Gertrude Reid has returned to her school duties in the Walnut Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rizner and fam- high school after being ill at home

MORE COMING HOME

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, Jan. 2 .- The depar ure from France today of four trans ports carrying 2,000 troops, was an nounced by the war department.

Dixon friends of Mrs. Robert Fri-Grace Huddart, of this city, have received announcements of the birth LOST-Small black pocketbook con- of a son to her and her husband at

By Associated Press Leased Wire Macomb, Ill., Jan. 2 .- J. M. Pace representatives in the Illinois Gener-Senator Adam Cliff, of Sycamore, al Assembly from the 32nd district A. T. Tourtilott, of Dixon, and F. A. didate for the Speakership of the to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, Brewer, of Tampico, will be in Dix- House. He claims the support of Re- to neutralize the acids in urine so it is on tomorrow to meet with a com- publican members from the western

> -Nurses' record sheets for sale at the Evening Telegraph office.

SOCIETY KILLED AND BURNED WOMEN; SIFTED ASH

Miss Vernie, were entertained at din- Paris Correspondent Tells of Atrocities Committed By the Turks

> OVER 80,000 KILLED

By Associated Press Leased Wire Paris, Jan. 2 (Havas Agency) .-In giving details of the massacre of Miss Kelly and Miss Phalen returned Armenians in Turkey during the last five years, the Constantinople correspondent of the Petitte Parisian counties; Per year, \$5.00; six and the Misses Florence Curran, Mar- this number was too high and order out out of the way. In the Muss valley, the correspon

dent adds, the Kurds robbed 2,000 Armenian women. Later, suspecting manner and burned their bodies. The next day, the correspondent states, these monsters quietly sifted the ashes of their victims, searching

The correspondent relates that in he same region 7,000 small children died of starvation and 100 wo men were buried alive in trenches which they were first forced to dig.

BOLSHEVIKI THIRD ARMY HAS BEEN ANNIHILATED

CZECHO-SLOVAKS AND SERBIANS IN GREAT VICTORY AT PERM IN URAL MOUNTAINS

By Associated Press Leased Wire Vladivostok, Jan. 2 .- In the capture of Perm in the Ural mountain Gen. Gaida, at the head of Czech-Slovak and Siberian forces, virtual y destroyed the Bolsheviki third army, capturing 31,000 prisoners 500 railroad cars, 120 field guns, 1000 machine guns, 30 automobiles an entire wagon transport train, several armored railway trains and

From one of the trains Nicholas Lenine, the Bolsheviki premier, was directing the operation of the fight. The train was captured. The pre mier escaped but several of the members of his party were taken.

Oregon Ploneer a Teacher.

Jasper N. Miller, aged seventy-eight tion for a certificate. Miller was elected as a teacher of the school in District No. 125, on Spencer creek. Miller forty-six years of age, says an exchange. He was a wagonmaker and was working in a shop at McMinnville in 1886, when he entered the McMinnville college and studied for two

Too Much Sacrifice.

He-The government calls on people to be economical in the use of

She-Goodness, gracious! And I've Just become engaged.

The Only One in Existence. "Why do you drop so many pennies

in that slot machine?" "Oh, I like to patrenize a proposi-

tion that hasn't raised its price."--Kansas City Journal.

The Evening Telegraph will dis continue the paper the day the subscription expires. If you wish to continue receiving the paper watch the little yellow tag date on your Telegraph and send in a renewal.

Take tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers-Drink lots of water.

We are a nation of meat caters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the

blood to poison the entire system. When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy full of sediment, or the bladder is irri table, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleepless ness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about our ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders. Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent injure; makes a delightful eller can make lithia-water drink, and nobody can make a mistake by taking a little occasionally B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

to keep the kidneys clean and active.

CHARLES JONNART



Old Bull Gnu, Driven From Herd, Found Other Companions.

Wart-Hog and Outcast Ostrich Allowed to Travel With Deposed King-Old Bachelors Henceforth, All of Them.

There was some trouble out in the glare of the sun on the bare plain, and the dust was rising in clouds, T. St. Maris writes in London Answers. A single vulture hung over the scene, as if expecting profit from the inspection, and a little black-backed jackal, prick eared and doglike, was watching attentively from an unsuspected hole under a wait-a-bit thorn. Presently forms began to loom up

among the dust as the cloud itself began to move. Beasts, extraordinarily strange and odd beasts, with shaggy heads and curved horns, like buffaloes, long, horselike tails, and sturdy but graceful, somewhat antelope-like bodies, began to loom up indistinctly. One heavy, massive, very shaggy always the heavy, shaggy fellow, whose very massiveness spelt age, gave back slowly on the whole, though that, in fact, was what he was being asked to do then. In other words, a piece of wild justice was taking place, which is to say that, because of his "crustiness," jealousy, lack of chivalry, ed. or for some other, or all these reasons, that old shaggy brute was being kicked out of the herd,

As they drew nearer, one saw that they were blue gnus, which are brindled gnus, which are bearded gnus, which are wild beasts, and devilish wild beasts, too. If you did not know they were antelope, you would have said they were buffalo, musk ox, horse and antelope mixed in one beast. The result, anyway, was a queer cus-

At last the old bull gnu-perhaps he had been lord of the herd till thenacknowledged defeat, and, realizing that he could not do the impossible, cleared himself cleverly from a terrible mixup among three other bulls, and set off at a gallop alone.

Then at length he remembered that it was sundown, and time for all good wild beasts to take the evening drink, ind he walked to one of those wellworn paths which all his kind make toward water, and slowly plodded his heavy way to the river.

It was not a great distance, in and out among the shattered clumps of thorny acacias, and he was not alone, or as he drew into the river he met many herds of antelopes and of zebra, going to or coming from the water.

Coming up the bank behind a herd of gaudy zebra, he was the first to light, over a ridge not far off, the two great, tawny, heavy, giant dog forms, seen and gone in an instant, dead ahead. They were lions, and his instant, loud warning snorts said so, and drew the zebras' attention to the danger, so that they broke away, and stampeded thunderously in the opposite direction. And again it was he, galloping clumsily with them, who shied suddenly at a clump of acacias and began zigzagging and swerving wildly in and out at top speed, snorting madly, so that the zebras scattered, and the Honess that had been become weak from the overwork; they told off from her companions to lie in wait for the stampeded herds, could only come out and growl her disap-

pointment at them. That night he kept with the zebras, feeding with them wherever they went, haps they realized that as a sentry he was an asset. And next day an old wart-hog, as ugly as sin, came and struck up acquaintance with him, and later a cock ostrich-all, perhaps, old,

bad-tempered outcasts. Anyway, when the day dawned they were still together, and the zebra had gone, and, for all I know, they are together to this day, surely as strange an alliance as ever faced the battle of life-bird, pig and antelope-old bachelors all.

F. Overstreet spent Tuesday in Chi-

Engraved or printed ealling eards

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"The men aboard are being taken off both to ships that are standing by and ashore. There is no danger of the Northern Pacific breaking up. My understanding is that the worst of the wounded and sick are being transferred to destroyers that are standing by and that those who are not wounded are being taken ashore. I do not know what device is being used to land the men."

GOOD NATURE OF STRANDED SOLDIERS.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Fire Island, Jan. 2.—Three officers and one soldier, all wounded, were landed here off the stranded transport Northern Pacific just before noon. They came ashore in a coast guard life boat and announced that more would soon follow. Four more arrived soon after-

ward. The first man to land was Private Albert Listner of Buffalo, N. Charles Jonnart as governor general was wounded in the Argonne, on Oct. of Algeria. This post now ranks 9. He said that when the transport with the viceroyalty of India. Mr. went aground early yesferday morn-Jonnart, who is the son-in-law of the ing nearly all on board thought they crew reached the transport and went colossally wealthy Lyons banker, Ed- had reached the Hoboken dock, and ouard Aynard, the regent of the Bank that all rushed on deck for a look. of France, was high commissioner of Many did not know the Northern Pathe entente powers to Athens last cific was aground until after breakast, several hours later.

Men landed said the soldiers on their predicament; and that while the to nearby ships, the transport band played lively airs. As soon as they were landed these

men were taken across the narrow island to the flotilla of small boats to carry them across Great South Bay to Bay Shore, seven miles away.

EFFORTS TO MOVE SHIP UNSUCCESSFUL.

By Associated Press Leased Wire New York, Jan. 2 .- After unsuccessful efforts to drag' the American transport Northern Pacific from the sand bar on which she went aground at Fire Island early Wednesday morning plans were made for moving the 2480 troops, including 1700 sick and wounded, to vessels standing by and ashore this afternoon if the weather conditions permit.

At noon these were considered propitions. The wind had veered to the northwest, bringing a smoother sea. For the previous thirty hours it had blown from the southeast inshore, making giant combers which beast was fighting with the rest. But pounded the transport more deeply

Get Cables to Ship. She lies about 250 yards from

often master in the single contests. shore. Cutters, destroyers and other been groping in cautiously under the permanent board, died here today of ships standing by succeeded in get ting cables to her and later efforts were made to pull her off the bar, but she was too hard aground to be oudged and the efforts were abandon-Medical Aid Near.

To provide for emergencies, such as adverse seas, army officials made arrangements to hurry the men ashore as fast as they were taken off. Thirty-two physicians, 134 hospital corps and 200 nurses were at Bay City ready to take care of the men.

The Red Cross sent eight nurses to Bay City with enough sandwiches and coffee to feed the entire person-

The Coast Guard crew took a boat line aboard. to the transport through a heavy surf at 9 o'clock, and as they drew up to the side of the transport they were ing and heavy seas were sweeping ovcheered by the soldiers who lined the er the transport's stern and slapping

1,671 Wounded Aboard

Reports late last night said: aced vessel there are seventy-three panic aboard the Northern Pacific, acofficers and 1,671 wounded men, 261 cording to wireless reports to shore. of them being bedridden. All of the Discipline was perfect. When the wounded have been assembled on the alarm sounded every man jumped to

diers who may be landed in immed- worthy of the name of soldier and

iate need of medical attention. Wallowing in the trough of heavy eas which are breaking over its decks and topping its masts with spray, the big transport has buried itself deep this morning. in the sands. Early this evening a brisk west wind lessened the dan-

Navy officials announced at o'clock yesterday afternoon that no attempt would be made before this morning to remove the troops from

Ships Stand By To Aid

States destroyers, cruisers, coast guard boats, empty transports, police Binghampton, N. Y., April 28, 1847, boats and other harbor craft have attempted to aid the threatened troopship, but their efforts have been Life lines shot aboard the trans-

port by coast guards parted under the strain. It was not until late this afternoon that a life line was finally NO MORE FAIR secured. No effort to remove the men on board has been made, however. At 3 o'clock a coast guard

and flew over the transport this afthe stranded ship were in the best of Commander Nathan B. Chase, in comspirits and were making merry of mand of the naval air station at Bay Shore, Long Island, who made the food administration throughout the troops were going over the side into flight, hovered over the transport for state during the war has been gradthe small boats for transfer ashore or three-quarters of an hour. There was ually given up and practically all of little activity among the troops on the employes in the main office ju board, he reported and no excite- the Conway building have been die-**Guards Ready For Emergency**

> ready to send a breeches buoy over the single line should an emergency practical to continue to issue the fair develop. There is some hope that food price list. the big ship may be floated with the high tide tonight, but the latest bulletins from Fire Island predict that MADE A FLIGHT it may be three or four days before the liner is off the bar. There are no Illinois units aboard

the stranded transport Northern Pacific, but it is practically certain that there are wounded men from Illinois inthe sick bay, as no returning transport of any consequence has thus far failed to bring back wounded men of the central west.

Strikes In Early Dawn

In a thick mist which enveloped the sea and blotted out the shore lights, the Northern Pacific went aground in the darkness of early dawn. As soon as the vessel pounded upon the bar Capt. Connelly sent | Rome, Jan. 2.- David Lubin, of out a wireless message of distress San Francisco, for ader of the Inter-There had been no alarm on board national Institute of Agriculture, and up till that moment, as the vessel had the American representative on its guidance of one of the best navigators in the navy

The wireless signals were picked up at the port of embarkation at Ho- ing Telegraph makes it the greatest boken, at the Brooklyn navy yard, divertising medium in Lee county; and by coast guard stations along the coast. The fog was then so thick hat the position of the stranded transport could not be discerned by observers on shore until rockets were shot from the deck.

Cruisers, destroyers, a submarine chaser, a fleet of navy tugs, and the hospital ship Solace stood by to the p windward, but did not dare go near. M One destroyer with a light draft man- Oa nel of the transport if brought aged to get to the leeward of the Jan. 684 grounded liner, but failed to get a Feb. 691/2

> No Panic On Transport Meanwhile the wind was freshen-

against the port side till it tossed at shade higher. an angle which sometimes reached forty-five degrees. Of the 2,481 soldiers on the men- There was nothing approaching a

TAKEN OFF TRANSPORT upper decks to facilitate their res- his station as if going about a routine drill. Even in the sick bays parts of Long Island have been com- Both the bedridden soldiers and municated with and requested to has- those of the wounded who were able ten to the beach to care for any sol- to be about, showed themselves

remained calmly at their stations. The Northern Pacific left Brest, France, on Christmas day and was due at the Hoboken pier at 9 o'clock

FORMER AMBOY WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. H. L. Brewer, wife of the former marshal of Rock Falls, and at one time a resident of Amboy, died at her home in Rock Falls Tuesday Since early dawn dozens of United morning, the fifty-second anniversary of her marriage. She was born in but came west to Amboy, when she was eight years of age, where she lived until her marriage to Mr. Brewer in 1866. Her maiden name was Amelia Doolittle.

FOOD PRICES

Publication of the fair food price lit has been stopped in Illinois with Navy airplanes braved the gale the consent of the food administration. This list had been issued ernoon. The pilot reported the vest twice a week and was intended o sel was "resting easily" and was in protect the purchaser at retail no danger of breaking up. Lieut. stores. The lastt issue appeared on Monday evening. The organization built up by the

charged, only a skeleton of the original force remaining. Harry A. Coast guards are now standing by Wheeler, food administrator for Illinois, said last night that it was not

OVER DOVER STR.

Sgt. Charles E. Baker, formerly of Sterling, later of Franklin Grove, and now of the aero squadron, has arrived at Camp Grant after being overseas in England and France with the A. E. F. He writes friends that he flew over the Strait of Dover among other interesting adventures.

DAVID LUBIN IS DEAD AT HOME

By Associated Press Leased Wire pneumonia which followed the grip

The large circulation of the Even-

CHICAGO MARKETS

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Opening an	Close 141 ½ 136 ½
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Mar. 69 1/2 LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Receipts today: Hogs, 38,000. Open steady Bulk of sales, 17.55 to 17.95. Good heavy, 17.85 to 18.00. Mixed, 17.55 to 17.95. Light, 17.00 to 17.90.

Pigs, 14.50 to 15.50.

Cattle, 14,000. Steady.

Sheep, 16,000. Steady.

Greetings To Our FRIENDS and PATRONS

We have just moved into our new location the 4th door east of the Union State Bank.

We want to thank you for your past years patronage and will try to serve you better in the year of 1919.

We will endeavor to give to Dixon and the surrounding country the Best Hardware Store in Northern Illinois.

WE WISH YOU A HAPPY NEW YEAR

E. J. FERGUSON Hdw.

For Frontier Today

By Associated Press Leased Wire

the Italian leaders.

WENT TO LEND HAND

SATISFIED MISSING LEG IS

BEST DECORATION

By Associated Press

vestern farm, the American soldier

to arrive here with "litter cases"

er failing humor of these boys, ris-

in gabove suffering, above helpless-

ness," said Miss Maude Kellam, the

chief nurse on the big vessel, as she

This is the spirit now, but I'm

afraid for the future," said Miss Kel-

lam, who was superintendent of nurses at the Colorado Training School before she entered the army service. She urged women to prepare them-

selves for their part in the recon-

struction period, not in the devasta-ted regions of Europe, where people, she said, preferred to handle the problem themselves, but here at

"There is plenty of reconstruction

work for the woman who wants to

help," she asserted. "I'm afraid our

enthusiasm is going to spend itself

after a year or so-just about the

time our wounded soldiers are be-

ginning to feel only bitterness at the

they will need the women. I don't

thought of 'the missing leg.'

26 BELOW ZERO

AT WINSTON, N. D.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Washington, Jan. 2.—The cold

wave which is sweeping over the country from the northwest will re-

sult in decided drops in temperature

Winston, N. D., was the coldest

spot on the weather map this morn-

ing, with temperature of 26 degrees

below zero. In the upper Mississippi

valley, the Rocky Mountains and

plateau below zero temperatures

FUEL WORK DEAD

By Associated Press Leased Wire

iams, former federal Fuel Adminis-

boy, and obtained employment in the

Illinois coal fields. This pursuit he

followed until he was 30. He was

SAVE WAR BILL

By Associated Press Leased Wire Washington, Jan. 2.- House lead-

amendments. The special rule was

adopted with a roll call today and

I se votes being cast.

with few ne

Streator, Ill., Jan. 2.—John E. Wil-

FORMER HEAD OF

more than now."

onight and tomorrow.

came ashore a few days ago.

Activities Dixon Assn.



Of Interest / To All Its Friends

Grand total, 2479.

The annual bowling supper, at

Plans for the new bowling tourney

Chapman won the silver bowling

made on the bowling alleys during

the month of December, by rolling

OPEN HOUSE WAS VERY HAPPY SUCCESS

The open house celebration of New Years Day at the Y. M. C. A. was a happy success from every standpoint, and although the cold weather kept the attendance down BOWLING SUPPER somewhat, hundreds of Dixon men TOMORROW EVENING and women visited the building during the afternoon and evening and which each Army team man will pay found it was very interesting.

for his own supper and that of a mem-The ladies especially found much ber of the Navy team, which won to show them the good of the asso- in the recent contest, will be held toclation in going, and they all ex- morrow evening, the Ladies' Auxil-

During the afternoon and evening refreshments were served, there was will be announced at this supper. music, an da number of interesting games of volley ball and bowling CHAPMAN GETS were played. Chief interest in the DECEMBER MEDAL games was centered in the bowling match between the Sterling and Dixon teams, in which Dixon was vic- pin offered for the highest score torious. The scores: Dixon

Peters	182	205	239. A. E. Elliott was given the
Elliottt202	168	174	bronze medal for the highest scores
Boers140	187	235	made in three games on any one day
Chapman	153	157	during the month, his scores being
Peters	177	128	235, 229 and 174; and Dr. Trow-
Totals796 Gran dtotal, 2562. Sterling	867	-	est score made in the Class B bowling tourney, his mark being 172
Mill	171	194	Boers set a high mark for other
Ankeny	186	158	bowlers to shoot at for high score in January, rolling 235 in yester-
Reitzel168	166	151	day's game with Sterling.

BEST OF THIS SECTION

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Entries may be made by letter or

person, but in all cases the variety

and number of specimens and the leg

band number must be plainly stated

All fees paid in full at the time of

All specimens must be properly

coop must be marked plainly. The

shipping room will be open for the

low, superintendent, Amboy, Ill.

Cash Premiums.

Single Birds.

Fifteen entries in a class-First,

Ten entries in a class-First,

\$2; second, \$1.25; third, 50c.

\$1.50; second, 75e; third, 15e.

\$1.25; second, \$50c; third, 25c.

75c; second, 35c; third, ribbon.

50c; second, ribbon; third ribbon.

One entry in a class-First, ribbon.

Ten entries in a class-First,

Six entries in a class-First, \$1.50;

One entry in a class-First, 25c.

Ducks, Geese and Turkeys.

Six entries in a class-First, 50c;

Four entries in a class—First, 35c;

Two entries in a class-First, 25c;

One entry in a class-First, 15c.

Pigeons will be entered in pairs,

Twelve pairs in a class-First, \$1;

Eight pairs in a class-First, 75c:

Four pairs in a class-First, 40c;

Two entries in a class-First, 20c;

Special Premiums.

offered by the Association the mer-

chants of Amboy have offered the fol-

For Best Pens.

Barred Rocks - "Keen Kutter"

White Rocks-Bathroom mirror,

Buff Rocks-Large can tobacco,

Partridge Rocks-\$2 in merchan-

White Wyandottes -Towel bar,

Golden Wyandottes-\$2 worth of

Partridge Wyandottes-Box of ci-

light fountain pen, Good's Electric

Columbia Wyandottes-Silk muff-

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds-

Pigeons.

the entry fee being 25c per pair.

\$2.50; second, \$1.; third, 50c.

second, 75c; third, ribbon.

second, 25c; third, 15c.

second, 75e; third, 25c.

second, 25c; third, ribbon.

second, 25c; third, ribbon.

second, ribbon.

Becond. 25c.

second, 15c.

second, ribbon.

second. 50c.

second, 20c

A. I. Tuttle.

Joe Spangler.

second ribbon.

lowing special prizes:

shears, W. F. Graves.

dise, O. A. Dickerson.

Leake's plumbing shop.

ler, Berry's Boston Store.

meat, W. J. Fenton.

gars, John McCoy.

will be 25c each.

on the entry blank.

making entries.

ciation are:

during the month, his scores being 235, 229 and 174; and Dr. Trowbridge won the honors for the highest score made in the Class B bowling tourney, his mark being 172.

Boers set a high mark for other bowlers to shoot at for high score in January, rolling 235 in yesterday's game with Sterling. **POULTRY SHOW TO BE** gars, R. P. Lenihan. Light Brahmas-Box of candy, Power's Pool Room.

Black Langshans-Oval picture Kaufman's drug store. Single comb Brown Leghorns Jewel box, R. L. Jacobs.

White Leghorns-Box of cigars, Loan & Hayes. Single Comb Buff Leghorns-Roas

of beef, Frank Brady. Single Comb Black Minorcas-3 pounds Seal Brand coffee, F. L. Doty. Rose Comb Minorcas-Box of ci-

gars, T. J. Lyons. Single Comb Anconas-Safety razor, W. M. Lough. Single Comb Buff Orpingtons

banded before being shipped. Each 3 lbs. tea, B. M. Way Store. Black Orpingtons-Dozen pair of sox, Gunning's Notion Store. White Orpingtons-3 lbs. butter,

reception of birds at 8 o'clock Monday, Jan. 13, and all stock should be Sanitary Creamery. sent by express, prepaid to A. J. Bar-Highest scoring Pen in Show Room-\$5 pair of gloves, Boynton-

Richards Co. Cash premiums offered by the asso-Highest Scoring Male in Show Room-Umbrella, Colson Clothing

Highest Scoring Female in Show Twenty entries in a class-First, Room-Wool blanket, J. P. Canavan. Best pair of Ducks-Suit case, W.

Best pair of Geesc-Glenore Dustless Mop and Polish, E. P. Epperson. Best pair of Turkeys-Auto Tool

Eight entries in a class-First, Box, W. J. Edwards Best pair of Bantams-Cash \$2 Six entries in a class-First, 50c; Mac McCleary.

For Demonstration Prof. Frank L. Platt, Extension Poultry Husbandman of the U. S.

Four entries in a class—First, 50c; Three entries in a class-First, Dept. of Agriculture, will give a demonstration in "Mating the Farm Two entries in a class-First, 25c; Poultry Flock" on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 14, and he will also discuss culling the flock. Mr. Platt made eleven demonstrations in Lee county in October and all who saw and heard him were greatly benefit-

Four entries in a class—First, 75e; 275 BRITISH SEAMEN Two entries in a class-First, 50c;

STEAM YACHT WRECKED ON ROCKS OFF SCOTLAND—MEN WERE ON HOLIDAY LEAVE

London, Jan. 1.—Two hundred and seventy sailors were drowned today as the result of the loss of the British steam yacht Iolaire off Stornoway Scotland.

The yacht had 300 sailors on board. They were on New Year's holiday leave.

The vessel struck on the dangerous rocks known as "the beasts of helm," near Stornoway harbor, and only about thirty of them were saved. Many of these were terribly injured in their efforts to reach the shore. In addition to the cash premiums lolaire were lost. All the officers and crew of the

ATTENDED FUNERAL.

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy, Mrs. Roy Withers, Mrs. Mary Fien and Miss Phonse Murphy of Dixon, Mrs. W. W. Reed, of Peoria, and Mrs. Margaret Lynch and daughters, the Misses Margaret and Vera, of Chicago, were among those attending the funeral of the late Mrs. John Jonergan, of Polo, which was held Tuesday in Polo. Mrs. Lonergan was a sister of Mrs. James Murphy, of this city and so successful in the treatment of passed away last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hetler and Miss Elizabeth Phillips were visitors Blue Wyandottes-Delco Flash- in Sterling New Years Eve. lishing attest to its virtue.

SISTER IS ILL

Charles Derr, machine operator a the Princess theater, was called to Rockford today by the serious illness Fountain pen, Aschenbrenner Drug of his sister. During his absence Rose Comb R. I. Reds-Box of ci- Ray Burrs.

CAMP GRANT REMAINS | AMERICANS TO MEET VERY HEALTHY PLACE

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE ARMY HEALTH SERVICE SHOWS FINE CONDITIONS

Rockford, Jan. 2.-Last week's Cranberg183 166 157 hospital report for the United States Elliott, adjutant at Grant's base hos-50,027 occupied beds in all army hospitals in the country during the week. Camp Grant had 725 beds in service military and naval attaches of the to take care of her sick for the week, American embassy here left today to which is considered a good record meet President Wilson at the Italian considering that many overseas men frontier. have been sent here during the last two weeks.

Capt. Elliot stated that the non-tal he will visit the pope and also the effective rate in the army for the Methodist college and will continue pressed especial praise in the Boys' lary serving the repast. All other 40.47 per thousand soldiers. Camp Orlando, and Baron Sonnino, the for-Grant's healthy condition is shown eign minister. Important results are by the fact that the Rockford canton- expected from this visit. ment had the very low non-effective percentage. This put Grant third in the president also talked with Premter in first place with a record of Sonnino. The results of President C. Grunert, Henry M. Pindell and E. 17.46 and Kearney 21.92. In mak- Wilson's conferences with the British R. Brown. Lieut. Luthy, also a membered that Custer has had very Foreign Minister Balfour probably ing tale of life in the cantonments few overseas men sent to that camp will have an important relation to the on this side of the water. while practically none have been sent continuation of the conferences with to Camp Kearney.

\$750,000 FIRE AT PEORIA ON WED.

By Associated Press Leased Wire Peoria, Jan. 2.-The mammoth plant of the American Milling Com- HOWEVER, RETURNING HERO IS pany at South Bartonville, a suburb of Peoria, was damaged to the extent of \$750,000 by fire yesterday, The company produces Sucrene and Amco animal feeds and is the largthe world.

PRINCE OF WALES

By Associated Press Leased Wire London, Jan. 2.-The Prince of Wales will visit the United States while on his coming tour through the Dominions of the British Empire, it was officially announced today.

DAMAGE PLACED AT \$1,500,000.00 a sight of 'the old girl in the har-

By Associated Press Leased Wire Berlin, Jan. 2.—The damage to the could get on deck to hail the Statue royal palace during the recent ex- of Liberty as we passed, there were cesses has been estimated at \$1,500,- no complaints.



DR. STANLEY The Foot Specialist

will be in Dixon at the Dewey Hotel, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 3, 4 and 5. Al ltroubles of the feet know just what the women oul ba treated. Calls made to all parts of called upon to do, but their work the city. Phone hotel for appoint- will turn up. The boys will need ment. License No. 219. 1t2 their enthusiasm and sympathy then

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and as a final precaution in cleanliness the medicine is pasteurized and sealed in sterile bottles. It is the wonderful combination of roots and herbs, together with the widely known as an arbitrator and

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DIXON MAN IS GUEST PRESIDENT AT BORDER OF HONOR AT BANQUET

Ambassador Page and Em. Major Bradford Brinton En bassy Attaches Left Rome tertained At the Creve Coeur Club, Peoria

The Peoria Transcript of Tuesday, Rome, Jan. 2.-American Ambas-Dec. 31, contains the following acsador Page, in company with the count of a dinner given by the Creve Coeur club of that city, in honor of Major Bradford Brinton of this city: Major Bradford Brinton, recently

returned from France, was the guest of honor at a dinner given last eve-During his stay in the Italian capining at the Creve Coeur club by J. B. Bartholomew and a company of interested auditors heard with appreciation his description of conditions, with the American expeditionary forces. The returning officer is the son of Col. W. B. Brinton, of the The conferences will be a continu- Grand Detour Plow Co., and his rate of 26.16 per thousand soldiers ation of those held here when King father was one of the speakers who with overseas men counted in the Victor Emmanuel visited Paris and responded during the evening to the the matter of health, with Camp Cus- ier Orlando and Foreign Minister were made by Ferd Luthy, Col. Louis toast of the host. Other responses premier, David Lloyd George, and guest of the affair, told an interest-

Major Brinton has had an important assignment with the American forces during the war, being connected with the motor transport division. He told of the growth of the transport units from two small companies at the opening of the war to **BUT THEY TOOK A LEG** its present size, embracing many regiments and thousands of motor driven vehicles. During the past three months he has been on an inspection trip through the war countries for the purpose of making recommendations of changes in the operation of motor divisions, and has had an opportunity to make a thor-New York, Jan. 1 .- "I went to ough study of this branch of the milest producer of mixed animal feed in France to 'lend a hand' and they itary forces of the United States. His talk was interesting and instructive He was a big lad from a middle and was well received.

Guests at the dinner were: Major who called out this jest to cheer his Brinton, Col. W. B. Brinton, R. J. WILL VISIT U. S. neighbor in the sick bay of the Em- Boynton, George Jobst, Ferd Luthy, press of Britain, the first transport Lieut. Luthy, Henry M. Pindell, C. E. Bronner, W. J. Brandon, E. P. from the American hospitals in Kinsey, Henry J. Barbour, L. R. Van Volkenburg, E. J. Solomon, J. H. "That is just a sample of the nev- Bartholomew, Jr., L. S. Wilson, I C. Grunert, W. H. Catcott, George T. Klein and E. R. Bowen.

> The Telegraph for 68 years has "All the way over they yearned for been the leading family paper in Lee county. Subscription by mail in bor," she continued, "yet when we Lee county is \$4.00 a year, \$2.25 for came up the bay and none of them six months, \$1.25 for 3 months.

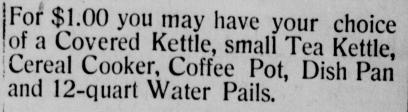




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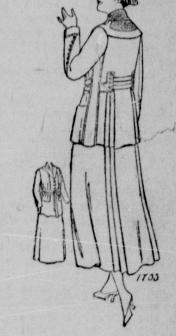
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As your betrothed, I protest against your mission. However worthy it may be to spy upon an enemy, it is certaininhuman and cowardly to commit the crime you anticipate committing. I have learned of your intention from your mother, and I assure you that the wealth you hope to gain will bring Dappiness to none of us. If you are successful, I shall do more than protest against your success.

"You excellency," said I, looking up from the paper, "that man, whoever he is, was a fool to carry two such self-defaming documents on his person. I have no doubt that the crime he anticipated committing was the filing of me. And yet, I do not know he man, had never spoken to him until I shot him, nor knew his name until

tonight." "It matters little," said Washington, fingering the remaining papers in the wallet. These are of little importance, being memoranda of money's lost and wen at cards. Your prisoner is evidently a gay blade. And here is a note of hand signed by a Lieutenant Balfour for one hundred pounds, and due in a week."

As he spoke, something like an inspiration took possession of me; certainly I was far from having any plan as I said, "May I have that note, your excellency?"

He gave it to me without asking my reason for wishing it, and which I could not have told; but God wot that note came nigh to ruining me, though perhaps it was really my salvation.

"And now, sir," said Washington, There are twenty pounds in gold. You must make it suffice. The hour is late. I think I will send Lieutenant Struthers back with you to Baskingridge. He will be in front of your quarters within half an hour. Sir, may God be with

He gave me a rouleau of money from the desk, then held out his great hand and shook mine, standing as he spoke the last words. A few moments later I was in the open air; the stars were shining, there was no wind, and the camp was as still as death.

Strange, was it not, that as I looked up at the velvety sky I should think of "Agnes," the unknown woman who had protested at the intended crime of the lover she would probably never see again?

CHAPTER V.

A Double Shock. I think Lieutenant Struthers considered me under a cloud as we rode away, followed by two troopers; but I do not believe that he noticed (the eing dark) that I had discarded my uniform for plain clothing. Sure it was that he had little to say to me, a disgraced man, and as sure that I was thankful for his silence, not particularly liking him, and having enough to think about.

It was past two o'clock when we reached Baskingridge and came before M'sieur Ledare's house. There was no light in any direction, and it appeared strange that there came no answer to Struther's repeated thumps on the door. "Both the Frenchman and his servant are sound sleepers!" he growled, hammering on the panel with the hilt of his sword.

"Nay, then," said I, "there's some-thing wrong in tyns!" And I laid my hand on the latch, when to my sur-prise the door yielded easily enough. I entered the mark hall, and the first thing I did was to stumble over the body of a man lying on the floor. At that I raised a shout. A minute later Ledare's old servant, Penton, came down the stairs with a light, he being but half dressed, and then I saw that the body was that of Ledare himself. He was stone dead, his skull having been split by a blow of the heavy firetongs lying near him.

I knew the rest intuitively, and it was soon fairly proved. Ledare had teen killed by the prisoner, who had gone; and gone, too, were my old master's shoes, for he lay there unshod and weltering in his cwn blood, murdered by the man who had it in his heart to murder me.

I cannot express the shock I felt at this discovery: for the time it unmanned me, and made me forget the importance of my own errand; but I

did not forget for long. How the little village was aroused, how confusion and speculation ran wild, becomes no part of my story, for I marked but the beginning of it. In the running to and fro of the people, and the many questions burled at Struthers, I saw my chance, and quietly slipping a leg over my saddle as quietly made off while it was yet dark, and I was not missed until some two hours thereafter, and then not a soul knew in what direction I had gone.

I could have laughed at the ease of my getting away, only between what was before me and the fact that poor Ledare was a corpse, I was in no mood for mirth. Moreover, Lysander Melton if that was his name, was free. That fact bothered me but little, however, as I did not see how he could finally escape. As for myself, I knew I would be at once branded as a traitor and searched for, and that in the circumstances, any man knowing he might shoot me at sight. Few are

ever teset as I was then. As the crow flies, Elizabethport, then containing hardly a dozen houses lies about twenty miles due east from Baskingridge, and for the most part the road is good. But it was hopeless for me to attempt to get there that night, so, after going nearly half the distance, hearing no pursuit, and not meeting a soul, I put up in a piece all that day lay at a distance from the

I roadside with only water for my stomach, so that at evening I was in a bad way for lack of food. I marked a number of troopers passing, some riding in haste, and farmers with their loads, but none came nigh me, and when the sun was well down I took

to the highway once more. It was black night when I passed through the hamlet of Elizabethtown and went on over the boggy meadow that stretched away like a vast plain, until I at last reached Elizabethport; and by then I was fagged out and depressed.

With a feeling of desperation born of emptiness, I stopped at the first house I came to, it lying on a little rise of ground by the water, and being apart from any other dwelling. And here I met with a man who was a mighty good patriot, as I soon learned, and he received me civilly enough. He took me in after eyeing me sharply, and gave me food enough to have satisfied a giant, he sitting by and eyeing me as if in wonder at my appetite. When I had finished eating, and felt like a man again, I turned to

"Sir," said I, "I have reason to believe that you are a waterman."

"I am," he said, puffing on his pipe. "Then there is one more favor you can do me; but first, are there any British on Bergen Point?"

"I think not," he answered; "but their devil patrols prowl around the bay at times."

"I must risk them. I wish to go to Bergen Point. I will pay you well to take me across." "For what?" he asked, and I

thought his expression peculiar. "I like not the idea. I've been caught and looted once by the British patrol boats. If I go, it will be by daylight, when I can see a sail. What can a gentleman want at Bergen Point?" "I go," said I, lying with ease, "to

see an old aunt, who is very sick." The man opened his eyes. "Ye may mean Mistress Betsy Brothwell,"

he said, pulling hard at his pipe. I welcomed the suggestion. "It is the very old woman-and it is a pound in your pocket to take me over."

But nothing I could say would move him to sail before dawn, and I, chafing at the delay, but really in no hurry to thrust my head into a noose, appeared to be content. However, I had too much wit to go to the bed he offered me, being a trifle suspicious of the man and his manner, and so sat up by the fire all night, even getting up and following when he went to look at the weather; for he did not ofof one, though his wife and two little time would elapse ere I was in the ones went to sleep in the loft above

When at last dawn blushed on the horizon, and we moved down to the shore, he took an old telescope with him and scanned the broad water of Newark Bay ruffled by a light west wind. Not a boat of any kind showed in the distance; the way was

"Are ye armed, sir?" he asked, as he got ready his boat, the canvas of which was the color of tan. "Ye might need an arm."

"I haven't so much as a pistol, being a man of peace," I returned; and at that I noticed he spat violently into the water and became somewhat cheerful. "Well, sir," he said, "I guess I'll put ye through with little

"I hope so," said I, not then knowing his double meaning.

We went aboard, and all passed well until we were in the middle of Newark Bay, the width of which I do not know, and then I noticed that we were bearing far to the north, and I thought the rising tide was carrying us up. I was becoming a trifle nervous, too, cause I realized that my horse might betray me if any searcher found it, and the longer I was on the water the greater the risk of being overtaken and caught. I looked at the man, who sat with the long tiller held under his arm, his right hand thrust into his coat. "My friend," said I, "I suppose you know your business, but you will never get me to Bergen Point in this way."

And then came the thunderclap. "'Fore God! I never intended to. ye damned desarter!" he exclaimed,

suddenly throwing open his coat and pulling a great pistol from his breeches band.

I was fairly stunned by the suddenness of it all. "Deserter!" I could only stammer.

"None of your innocence with me," he fairly roared. "I spotted ye last night, an' had ye gone to bed I'd 'a' had ye in limbo ere this. Yesterday two troopers came looking for ye, and they gave me your lines, Yer aunt? A fine tale to give me who knows every soul on the point. There is no Betsy Brothwell there, nor many of any name. I know ye, ye damned traitor-you an' yer horse with its sojor trappin's. I'm no fool. Get into

He certainly had been no fool, and this was a bad beginning for me. The man was armed and I was not. What was to be done? Washington had considered me as self-reliant, and here was a chance to use my brains. "Where are you going to take me?" I asked, sinking back in my seat with a hopeless air, though I only looked to gain time. With a quick glance I measured the distance between us. It

was hardly four feet. "I am goin' to land ye up the bay and send ye off to Harry Lee at Paulus Hook, where ye will hang fast

enough. Get below, I tell ye." As he spoke he stood up, letting go the tiller as he raised his pistol to of thick woods just as dawn came, and cover me, the boat flying into the

wind as the helm was released. If I continued: "Twere fortunate I was | ridge as my sponsor (and one might was ever to act I must do it now. If I hard by, lieutenant; Simcoe told me were sent to Lee I might possibly to be on the lookout for you, but my life, my questioning by the authorities save my life if I could get him to hear me; but what an ending to my er-

What would Washington think of me for allowing myself to be captured by a Jersey fisherman? Nay, I would not fall that way without falling in all others, and so, taking all risks, I act-

As the man stood up on the unsteady deck of the heaving sloop I arose and turned as if to go into the little cabin, but as I bent to the low cockpit I swung around, and ere he had time to shift himself or make defense, I sprang for him, grasped him around the legs, and threw him across the coaming, his pistol exploding and the boat careening under the violence of the commotion. And, thank God, the pistol ball went wide of me.

CHAPTER VI.

The Patrol. The man was taken so thoroughly by surprise that he hardly struggled after the explosion of his weapon, doubtless feeling himself helpless under my hand, and as doubtless believing I would take summary vengeance by pitching him overboard, or otherwise making way with him, for physically he was no match for me.

But I had nothing but a feeling of respect for the brave fellow, who had done what he thought was a service to his county, and so, with a harshness I was far from feeling, I wrenched the empty pistol from him and allowed him to get up, which he did, shaking himself to see that no bones were broken. I wished to have no words with him, but that his spirit was not quenched was plain in the outspoken way he cursed me as a traitor, and himself as a fool for having tried to take me single handed.

I did not curse him back, but being afraid to send him into his own cabin (where he might have some weapon), and not wishing to listen to his violent talk, I ordered him forward of the mast, and told him that if he came aft of the standing rigging or put a hand to a line without orders, I would pitch him into the bay.

I think the fellow would have seconded me in my efforts had I confided in him, but it was against both policy and instructions, especially the former, as undoubtedly he would have talked, and soon my mission might have been known to the British themselves. But what to do with the man without either injuring or giving him in a prisoner to the British, bothered me not a little as I took the abandoned tiller, brought the boat about, and headed her south; nor was it until 1 had sailed for some time that I saw how plain was the solution. I would land him on the Bergen side, where he could make his way either to Lee or to his home as best he might, and with the little sloop I could continue down the bay and into the Dutch Kills fer to go to bed while I remained out | where, I would be sworn, but little ands of the British.

And this determined upon, I headed for the Bergen shore, though hardly had the wind begun to drive me in the new direction when out from the very point at which I was aiming shot a whale-boat manned by half a dozen lusty rowers, and in its stern-sheets sat a British officer and three marines, the latter armed with muskets; and the sloop was not then so far from shore but that I could count them with my naked eye.

In spite of all that the enemy was my objective, my heart gave a jump when I marked that the boat was making directly for me, though I quickly recognized the fact that my prisoner would be an excellent asset, as he would damn me to the satisfaction of all hands. However, I did not realize the desperation of the man, and no sooner did he determine the stripe of those in the coming boat than he disobeyed my orders and came from for-

"Will ye hand me over to yonder dogs?" he demanded, his hands closing and unclosing nervously as he stood near the edge of the coaming of the cockpit. I stood up. "My friend," said I, "you had your fling at me, and took your chances. It is my innings. Get forward."

"I'll be damned if I will, without first making ye pay the piper," he shouted; and then, as unexepctedly as I had leaped upon him, he threw himself upon me with a bound, bear-

ing me backward. I could only grapple with him, and this did, and in a moment we two were rolling on the edge of the narrow deck beyond the coaming, and in three thing was possibly cheating at cards. seconds more we were both overboard | Later I found it to be true. and in the waters of Newark Bay, he clutching me with a grip of a mad-

It looked to go hard with me then, for I saw he was anxious for my life even if it cost him his own; and I have small doubt that this assault was only hurried by the appearance of the patrol -that he had it up his sleeve for me, and was biding his time. But be this as it may, I was in a desperate way as we struggled and clawed at each other, for the most part beneath the surface; and I was something better than half drowned when I felt myself pulled into a boat. When I had freed my lungs of water and gathered my wits together I saw I was in the whaleboat a prisoner, as was my late guide, he then lying unconscious in the bilge with a sailor working over

And it was evident that I, too, had been unconscious for at least a brief space, for when I fully sensed my situation I saw the officer (he was very young) turning in his hand a piece of water-scaked paper. As he marked me looking at him he smiled and said: "Now, by my faith, Mr. Melton,

you have had a narrow escape! I thought you gone, for a moment!" The name of Melton brought me to my full senses as hardly anything else would have done, but perhaps it were well that I was still too weak to show

Even then, and for more time theresurprise or make an answer, and he after. I had no trout

faith! I didn't expect to come across at Richmond was hardly more than a formality; certainly no one appeared to have a suspicion regarding my iden- To settle the estate of James Cougran, deceased, the undersigned will hold a you in this fashion. And I fancy that Bellmore won't thank me for interfering, as had I not come up in time it is ten to one that he were a hundred myself in Melton's shoes; and both on General Simcoe, and another officer

ed it whole.

about my neck.

prove it.

whose name I did not learn, swallow-

And so I was set free, and under

Selfridge's escort started that even-

ing for the city, less a questionable

character than an honored guest; and

at about eight o'clock that night, clad

upon me than the gold in my belt and

Bellmore's note (which had been

handed back to me), I found myself

landed at the Fly Market at the foot

of Maiden Lane, an American officer

in disguise; and a noose seemed to be

Wait. I said I had nothing formid-

able about my person. I had. Just be-

fore stepping aboard the schooner at

Staten Island I had pulled down an

oak bough, and now in my breast-

pocket were a dozen or so of its

leaves. Formidable! A brass field-

piece might be less so, and I hoped to

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pounds richer." He laughed aloud as he spoke, and held out the paper to me. It was the note of hand to Lysander Melton, for one bundred pounds, signed by "Bellmore," which Washington had given me at my request. The officer had evidently taken it in a search of my clothing while I was unconscious.

As quick as lightning I saw how the land lay. This man did not know Melton, and from the paper he took me to be him. Certainly it would not do for me to deny it without explaining how Melton's note got into my possession, and I had no story ready. I had nothing ready, for that matter, but I thanked God I would not have to prove myself, since the paper appeared to have done it for me.

"Who is the chap you were clinched to?" asked the officer, indicating my late companion who was showing signs of remaining life.

"I know not," I said, pulling myself together, "save that his name is Dean, and that he is a parlous rebel. I hired him to sail me to the point, but he was suspicious, and was taking me to Paulus Hook and Lee, conceiving that I was a deserter from the rebel army. We clinched. You know the rest. What will you do with him?

"Hand him over to Simcoe," was the light answer. "But as he is only a non-combatant, he will be likely to go free. I tell ye what, Melton, you have had a damned close call, and a pity it would have been had you gone down; for this exploit is a feather in your cap, and it won't hurt me for having pulled you out."

I made no answer, not exactly knowing what the young fellow was driving at, and the officer went on: "I'll be free and say 'tis a pity that you are a Southern Provincial and new to the city; but you have been inquired about. Major Stall was asking Simcoe if he had heard anything of your return, and then said that you were a cursed brave man to try to smooth your record by volunteering to get into Morristown. Did you get there?" "Yes," I answered.

"Aye! Stall said there were not ten men in the army who would dare it. I congratulate you, and tell you this to let you know how you stand. But damme if I care to play cards with

He laughed as if to take the sting for the last remark, and held out his hand; adding that he was Lieutenant Selfridge, of General Simcoe's command, then stationed on Staten Island. He was a garrulous young fellow, that officer, and I let him talk. From his words I concluded that Lysander Melton's record was shady, and between the memoranda of his card winnings, which Washington had shown me, and Selfridge's own remarks, I gathered that he was a card-sharper, if nothing worse. I shook hands with the officer. "By the by, Melton, do you report

to Knyphausen or to Arnold," he suddenly asked.

"To Arnold," I answered, after a moment of rapid thought; "that is, when I can get my full report ready." But I wished the boy-for he was hardly more than a boy-would quit questioning me; it made me nervous, and I wanted to think.

"Well, that's a flight of luck!" he exclaimed. "I know Arnold-that is, I have met him-and like most of us, I have damned little respect for his stripe; he came to late to his senses in his desire to serve the king. But twill be a favor if you let me go with you when you report. I want to get in my story and reap as much glory as possible. Listen, Melton! I am stationed on Staten Island, as I said, but I have leave for a week, and go up to the city on the relief schooner tonight. Thank Heavens, I'm soon done with this cursed boat business! Can't we go up together?"

I jumped at the chance. For here was a fatuous ass who had leaped at conclusions on the strength of the only paper found on my person, for 1 had been careful to carry no other. Not a doubt of me had he shows, and from him I had learned much without

myself asking a question. I now knew that Melton was a provincial, and from the South; that he was comparatively unknown (which was a great comfort), and that he had undertaken a desperate venture in order to rehabilitate himself for something he had done-and that some-

To have this babbling youth with me might be of great help, for one thing was now certain: I must pose as Melton, and not as a deserter from the Continental Army; and this was best for two reasons: first, that as Melton I would learn things otherwise impossible to come by; second, as a deserter I would be held in confinement until proved; for, unlike Champe, I had no orderly book or other tangible evidence to vouch for be. The thing had not been of my doing; fate had cast me for the part of Lieutenant Lysander Melton, of an unknown regiment, and as Melton I must pose and take my chances. It was a mighty risk-but I was out for

I cannot say how that day massed, for between lacking sleep for two nights, nervous tension, and my late adventure with Dean, I was used up, and in spite of my precarious position I slept, Selfridge spreading his own cloak on the bottom of the boat for

me to lie on. Aye, and I slept, wet though I was, and for the matter of five hours, and when I awoke, refreshed, albeit a little stunned when the situation came back to me, I found that the sun had dried my clothes, and that the patrol had been relieved and was going to

, for with Self-

Closing Out Sale

tity. I told a straight story, most of closing out sale on the James Cougran farm, 1 mile east and 1 1-2 miles no. it being based upon facts, I putting of Harmon, 7 miles southwest of Dixon and 10 miles southeast of Rock Falls,

Wednesday, Jan. 8th, 1919

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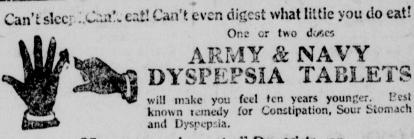
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Evening Story

THE FOSSIL

By CRITTENDON MARRIOTT

Everybody in Fairport knew Henry

Colfax. Henry had grown up with

Fairport. When he was born Fairport

else to cut at they took a fall out of

Not that they-or anybody-dislik-

ed Henry. Quite the contrary. Every-

so incapable—that he had probably

never inspired an active dislike in

occupied to sieze any of the chances

ives had made an effort to remove

something threatened to remove Hen-

ry Colfar was not yet of record.

Meanwhile tie paners poked fun at

him, and most people took the limp-

Not all people, however. Bessie Nor-

ton resented it hotly, all the more hot-

younger than Henry, and she had liv-

things are called. But Bessie had de-

never marry a nonentity; and Henry

are fooling away your life over that

collection of yours. Oh! I could love

Henry shook his head sadly. "I'm

afraid I'm no good, Bessie" he admit-

ted, humbly. "Something's been left

"I know! I know!" interrupted the

surely you can do something to put a

stop to these hateful slurs in the pa-

pers. Listen to this! With shaking

fingers she tried to smooth out the

before she had crushed in her hands.

"Here it is!" she quavered. "Listen:

mirror, Henry, and you'll find an old-

Henry smiled anxiously. "Oh! that's

nothing," he declared. "It's only Jack

the girl, passionately. "You-you-Oh,

"I'm sorry." He very evidently was

"However, there won't be much more

of it, I guess, Bessie. I'm going away!"

and a dismaying one. Miss Norton

Henry took advantage of her silence

went to the paleontological congress

at Paris last year I had to mortgage

burning behind her window panes,

could not take it in for an instant.

Roberts' little joke. I don't mind."

out of me and-"

ing wit as a matter of cea. e.

was a village; in the thirty years of his life it had expanded-physically into a good sized city, though it still retained most of the earmarks of the village. Everybody took a profound interest in the doings of everybody else; nobody hesitated to criticize the actions of anybody else; the two newspapers "joshed" the young men and the young girls with delightful imparink. Reward if returned to this oftiality; and when they had no one

Henry Colfax. not miss this opportunity and LOST-Black leather purse containing Liberty bond and sum of mon ey with owner's name. Liberal rebody liked him in a pitying sort of ward if returned to this office. way. He was so gentle, so kind-and

LOST

LOST-Truck chain on North Galena ave. Finder please return to Miller Bros.' garage.

FOUND

FOUND-Auto chain. Owner may pump. When some of the progresshave same by paying for this a this a few years before the town had risen in rebellion, what it would do if ertisement and proving propert; the Evening Telegraph office. 30:1-1

MARKETS

Editor's Note-Because the quotations furnished by the various mer- ly that Henry did not resent it himchants of Dixon do not coincide, the self. Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those ghland Ave., phone 85. David prices which seem most advantage-283tf ous to seller or purchaser.

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Cash had sadly admitted that he was, if & Car- anything less than a nonentity. So Pay Sell ry they had lived on, door by door, year Potatoes 1.15 1.50 1.50 that would touch him off.

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a place. Can you not help him for old times sake? He knows a great geal about fossils, I believe, and if he can get a post to help in some museum, I know he would be delighted, and I don't think he would do any damage. You know I am not rich but I can spare \$10 a week to be added to his salary, if you can manage

"So, my dear Frank, you see Hen-

ry has come to the end of his re-

sources and is going east to look for

things so he will not find out-" Two days afterwards Frank Radcliffe received and read the letter. Then he read it again. Then he chuckled. Knows a great deal about fossils, does he?" he laughed. "Won't do any damage! Henry Colfax! Good Lord!" He sprang up and ran into the office of the president of his institution. After a while he went back to his desk and sent off a dozen cablegrams and some telegrams. One of the latter addressed to Bessie Norton ran as follows:

"Everything all right. Leave for Fairport Thursday. Tell Henry 19 sit tight till I arrive."

Five days later Radeliffe was in Fairport. Instead of seeking out Hen ry or Bessie, however, he went to the office of the Fairport Blade, and laid certain facts before Mr. Jack Roberts, editor of that paper.

any one. Man and boy he had gone Roberts was an opinionated fellow his inoffensive way, blinking behind and his convictions died hard. But his spectators never too busy to do a he was a good newspaper man, and kindness to anyone; always too preknew when to switch. Incidentally he knew the exact value of a scoop. of life as they flitted past. He had Hence, the Blade that afternoon become an institution—as much a part screamed at its readers in red type of Fairport as the homely old village as follows:

"Once more one of Fairport's sons has won world wide fame. Our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. Henry Colfax, who has so long, so arduously. and so modestly labored in the cause of science, has at last gained the fame which the Blade has so long prophesied for him-the honor and recognition of the world.

"Mr. Frank Radcliffe, secretary of the Carmody University, arrived in cur beautiful city today, bringing with him cablegrams from the secretary of Bessie Norton was a year or two the Royal Paleontological society of England, the Societe Paleontogique ed next door to him all her life. He, of France, the Academy of Sciences she, they had been in love with each of St. Petersburg, The Royal Imperial other ever since he wore knickers and Geographical Society of Berlin, and she wore pinafores-or whatever the half a dozen lesser bodies, stating that these societies had conferred on our clared years before that she would distinguished servant, Mr. Henry Colfax, who honors Fairport by his presence, no less than five degrees and three fellowships, each of which carries with it a substantial pecuniary reward. Mr. Radcliffe brought also cession at Paris, hailing Mr. Colfax as the greatest living authority on the But Bessie did not fall for want of uted to the world's knowledge of the

"The news that these well earned honors have been bestowed will dehave watched Mr. Colfax's researches his reputation in the scientific world. Roberts or Willie McCrew or Frank Fairport honors him as he honors Fair-

> "Incidentally Mr. Colfax's many friends will rejoice to hear that Mr. Radcliffe also brings word that the Carmody University has voted a grant you so much if you would once-just of \$10,000 a year to Mr. Colfax, so that he may be able to continue the studies into the fossils that have so distinguished Fairport!"

Radcliffe chuckled over this last sentence as paper in hand, he trolleyed out to Bessie Norton's suburban girl, in swift contrition. "I know-but cottage. "Truer than you meant, Robe erts," he murmured. "Truer than you meant."

The moon was on duty that night when Radcliffe departed, leaving Bessie and Henry stunned with amazement behind him. Fairport was a 'Our ancient friend, Henry Colfax, beautiful place especially in its suburbs, and outdid itself that night. Hunfound a new fossil yesterday. Look in dreds of fireflies twinkled among the bushes. Great white moths fluttered over the roses that shut in Bessie's porch. The darting night birds whirred overhead, through the rustling "But you ought to mind," insisted | trees. A soft wind came up with the perfumed dusk, and bore the far off mu ic co the rippling river clearly to

with a sob. "Why didn't you tell me?" the cried. "Why did you let me think "Yes!" he hurried on. "I never told ing to honor! I can understand why Mother left me long ago. When I and so longed that you should be my collection and I must go east and | wasn't your loving kindness-"

"Hush! Hush! Oh! Hush!" No long-Anxiously he leaned forward, trying upon the girl's words. "Cood heavto read Bessie's features, but with a ens'" he cried, "I don't scorn any one could I scorn you when I love you so? and fled into the house, leaving him to make his way slowly home. Till You know it! I have loved you all my late that night he watched the light | life! How could I scorn you?"

Pleadingly he stretched his arms wondering what could be occupying toward her and she slipped into them. "But-but-" The words came very faint, half smothered in his coat cel-Norton, though dismayed by the news lar-"but why didn't you tell me you

this or any other blow of fate. Before Henry chuckled. "I didn't know it she slept that night she had written myself," he declared. "I didn't even a letter to Frank Radeliffe, an old suspect it till Radeliffe told me so, schoolfellow, who was accretary to Honest In ... I didn't." come scientific body or other in Waan. Copyright, Paget Newspaper Service

FREDERICK OF HESSE



Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse brother-in-law of the ex-German emperor, who was elected king of Finland by the Finnish lantag. He is forty-three years old. In 1893 he married Princess Margaret of Prussia.

SOCIAL RANK IN GERMANY

Richard Lieber Describes Conditions of Life That Existed Under Autocratic and Military Rule.

"The great majority of immigrants belong to the poorer classes," said Richard Lieber in a speech in Indianapolis, according to the German Democracy Bulletin. "But no matter how poor or well-to-do, they belong in a circumscribed class out of which they cannot move except in extraordinary circumstances. What has America done for them? If it had not done another thing than to remove this damnable barrier it would be entitled to our undying thanks and devotion. Here we meet on a common plane; in Germany we were assigned to a definite spot in their medieval layer cake and there we stay, our children and grandchildren.

"You remember, of course, that in Germany the youngest lieutenant is eligible to court attendance, whereas in civil service the rank has to be very high to be 'most graciously commanded.' That circumstance gave rise to the striking expression attributed to a shavetail of a Potsdam guard officer: 'In civilian life, human beings only begin with the rank of private counselor!

"How many of us under the classification would have a right to consider ourselves human beings at all?

"It may be said that this is merely for my father was an officer of the government and the army and although I tenant, wrote: tions of class and rank. I for one got | captain. enough of it in time, and although I

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clapirap of royalty and its adulators. "To those few, however, who even now fail in unqualified loyalty to our trains leaving Dixon. Daily excep country, and who still live in their where otherwise specified: thought in Germany, to those few 1

"You are not wanted over there No. and you are not needed here. You want to be a citizen of two countries, 24 6:40 a. m. 9:15 a. m. and you are a citizen nowhere. Germany sneers at you for your academic sympathies and the United States 1811:02 a. m. 2:25 p. m holds you in contempt for your pitiful 20 1:19 p. m. 4:00 p. m attempt to be true to two political 4 4:14 p. m. 7:30 p. m wives.'

years ago, had discussed America and l Germany; when speaking of the many beautiful things abroad, he suddenly No. sighed and exclaimed:

have to be Landgrave of Thuringia or 27 (Ex Sun) 3:45 p. m. 7:03 p. m archduke of Luxemburg."

Lincoln Accorded High Rank. Although preceded and followed in

received long and thorough college 8:30 a.m. and university training, which he lacked, there is, nevertheless, not one no extra fare. of them the equal of Abraham Lincoln, in clarity, brevity and felicity of expression. "His simple, luminous sentences," says one of our national improved upon." Today Lincoln's po- freight, sition as a master of the English tongue in its strength and simplicity 119 7:22 a. m. is unquestioned. The French Acad- 31 Clinton Express. . 5:15 p. m. emy, Emerson, Lowell, Everett, Beecher, Ingersoll are united on that point. "No man of his century," says the au- 132 Ft. Dodge Ex.*... 9:53 a. m. thor of his Letters and Addresses, "could state a proposition with more exactness and compactness. His clarity of expression, the consistent building up of his arguments, his brilliantly apt comparisons, his illuminating ly apt comparisons, his illuminating wit, his merciless pursuit of illogic in TIME THE MAILS CLOSE his opponents were phenomenal."

The Getwsburg address was ranked by Emerson as the peer of any of the utterances of man.

Censor's Postscript.

ceived a letter from his son in France the locking or closing time to insure and upon this letter hangs a story, My- its dispatch. ron H. Towsley, twenty-three years old, went over with the One Hundred No. 6 2:45 a. m. and Forty-ninth United States field No. 28 6:55 a. m. artillery and is now a corporal.

fire. He admitted he was scared, that knees, stomach and nerves went on a No. 5 9:55 a. m. a joke, but I know whereof I speak, by admitted he felt. But down at the No. 9 8:50 p. m. bottom of the letter the censor, a lien- No. 15 2:45 c. m.

liberal man ached under the restriction shell fire, and bring back a wounded No. 132 9:30 a. m.

Think

Correct time of all passenge (Effective Sunday, Nov. 24, 1918)

East Bound Ly Dixon Ar Chicago 6 3:28 a. m. 6:45 a. m 28 (Ex. Sun.) 7:23 a. m. 10:40 a. m "Walter Damrosch and I, about ten 100 (Sunday only) 4:15 p. m. 7:35 p. m

West Bound Ly Chicago Ar Dixon "But with all, should I want to be 5 6:50 a. m. 10:20 a. m the same Walter Damrosch in Germany 1910:30 a.m. 1:11 p. m. that I am in America, I would at least 1712:15 p. m. 3:39 p. m. 11 5:00 p. m. 7:52 p. m. 25 6:10 p. m. 9:32 p. m. *1 7:10 p. m. 9:50 p. m. 3 11:20 p. m. 2:16 a. m Peoria passenger leaves Dixon at the presidential office by men who had

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To add a touch of completeness to the Sabbath-like calm which prevailed on the ship I read the Bible. Becoming intensely interested, I tried to read It through in 24 hours. This cannot be done. Incidentally, I had some difficulty in finding one. It is a sign of the times, I am afraid, that one never gets a Bible any more as a going-away present when one starts off on a long journey. Though I might better say, perhaps, that it was sign of unintelligence on my part that I did not think to carry with me one of several that

I was going to Bagdad, was I not? When I left New York I believed I was. I was on my way to the land of the two rivers; the land of the Garden of Eden, of the "Cradle of the World." It is the land not only of Adam and Eve and Cain and Abel, but the land as well of Noah and Father Abraham; the land of Babylonia. where Daniel dwelt, in captivity with the children of Israel and was delivered from the den of lions.

I found a Bible, finally, hidden away with the hymnals and the prayer books little library, and, while I intended merely to get the stories of Babylon and of Ur of the Chaldees, I became engrossed in the story of the Children of Israel and followed it all the way through. Then I had to read the prophets, and having pondered over their prophesies, I was tempted to reexamine the fulfilment of them. And afterward I was very glad I did. It refreshed my memory of many things I had thought little about since the days of my youth.

In Mesopotamia you live the story of the Bible and you do not wonder in the least if it is true; you know it is. You become as definitely acquainted with Daniel and Ezra; yes, and with Adam and Eve and Cain and Abel and Noah and Abraham and Hagar and Ishmael-especially Hagar and Ishmael-and a thousand others, as though they were alive today. And in a way they are. As they have come down to us through the ages in tradition and picture they are exact prototypes of the men who now inhabit that ancient land .- From "The War in the Cradle of the World," by Eleanor Franklin Egan.

Prussian Professor Peeved. The number of women entering German universities increased from 3,693 to 6,527 last winter. The number at the University of Berlin alone grew from 880 to 1,322. Professor von Wilamowitz-Mollendorf of the University of Berlin, and his colleagues, do not like this development, and he had no hesitation about speaking energetieally and sarcastically about it in the Prussian parliament. It seems that although the Berlin professors still begin their lectures with "Gentlemen," their hearers are almost exclusively an argument for lowering the univerwish to learn. Wilamowitz sareastically observed that the universities Berlin professors to the grade and duties of fourth-form masters in the secondary schools.

Never Take Your Troubles to Bed. I know a man who is aging very rappressed. Instead of practicing mental chemistry and neutralizing or drivnarmony and love thoughts, he lets these vicious mental devils, which are playing such havoc in his life, work all night in his brain. And, of course, they poison his blood, deplete his vitality and cut wrinkles deeper and deeper every night."-From "Love's Way," by Orison Swett Marden.

The Telegraph has almost double the circulation of any other paper in Lee county. It is the oldest paper in the county. Now in its 68th year. Established in 1851.

MASTER IN CHANCERY SALE IN PARTITION.

In the Circuit Court of said County. GEORGE F. BECKER VS CAROLINE K. BECKER, ET AL.

In Chancery. Partition. No. 357: Public nonce is hereby given that n pursuance of a aecree of said Circuit Court, made and entered in said cause on the 14th day of De cember, 1918, I, the undersigned were bestowed upon me in godlier Master in Chancery of said Court, will, on Saturday, the 18th day of January, A. D. 1919, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, at the residence on the North East Quarter of Section Fourteen (14), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on the terms hereinafter specified, the following described premises, to

> The Westerly three-eighths of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of Section Fourteen (14), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11), East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois;

The Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Eleven (11), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11), East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois;

Part of the Southeast fractional Quarter (SE Frt. 1-4) (made Frt. by the 3rd P. M.) of Sectoin (19) North, Range Eleven (11) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, bounded as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Section Twelve (12) and running thence west on the sout! boundary thereof 1393% feet. thence North parallel to the East boundary of Section 2634 1-2 feet. to the line fenced and accepted as the South boundary of the Truckboundary line 1393 3-4 feet to the East boundary of said Section and thence South thereon 2634 1-2 containing 84 3-10 acres, be the Northeast fractional Quarter (NE Frt. 1-4) (made Frt. by the

3rd P. M.) of Section Thirteen (13), Township Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11), East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, bounded as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Section Thirteen (13); thence South on the East boundary thereof 1397 feet; thence South 66 1-2 degrees West 968 feet to North 25 1-4 degrees West, along the middle line thereof 1981 1-2 Section, thence East thereon 173 containing as near as may be half (E 1-2) of the Northeast fractional Quarter (NE Frt. 1-4) (Made Frt. by the 3rd P. M.) of Section Thirteen (13), Township! Nineteen (19) North, Range Eleven (11) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, lying on the Westerly side of the middle line of a highway, crossing the said quarter section in a direction from Southeast to Northwest, befollows: Beginning at a stone se corner of said fractional quarte section, thence East 476 feet to the middle of "diagonal road," thence South 25 1-4 degrees East along said middle line 1981 1-5 feet to an angle in said road thence South 33 1-2 degrees East 1030 feet to the South boundary of quarter section: thence West thereon 1897 feet, and North 2634 1-2 feet to the place of beginning, and containing 68.28 acres, be the same more or less. The whole of said described tracts amount to 202.60 acres, as near as may be, and being and lying in Lee County, Illinois, subject to an encumbrance of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000.00) TERMS OF SALE-Ten (10) per-

ent. of purchase price to be paid in cash on day of sale, and balance of purchase price to be paid in cash up-

on confirmation of sale and delivery

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 18th

MARK C. KELLER,

WILLIAM L. LEECH and JOHN P. DEVINE,

Solicitors for Complainant. D 18-26 J 2-8

\$6 PER DAY NOW THE LOWEST WAGE

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 1.-A new 1916 POISONER minimum wage scale of \$6 a day, flat increase of \$1 a day for approximately 28,000 employes throughout the country, was announced today by the Ford Motor company. Employes of the Ford Tractor interests als are included in the increase. The new wage minimum becomes effec-

HELD FIRST CLASS The first session of Thad Beck'

class in emergency plumbing met on Tuesday afternoon, and the pupils report some valuable instruction.

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day of December, A. D. 1918.

Master in Chancery

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a dinner given for Archbishop cago in 1916. So many men the police nor the University management feel sure that the now held is Crones, but Chief of tectives Mooney last night deto make sure.

DRUNK IS FINED John Morrison was fined \$3 costs by Justice Hill this mor for intoxication

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